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Births.

JONES.—September 3, at Coodra, Wee Jasper, Yass, Mrs. J. Travers Jones, of a daughter.

LEDDY.—September 4, at her residence, 13 Denison-road, Lewisham, the wife of James J. Leddy, of a son.

Marriages.

CARTER—LAIRD.—August 21, at the residence of the bride's mother, 43 Paddington-street, Paddington, by the Rev. John Ferdyce, M.A., W. L. Carter, of Homebush, to Florence Louise, youngest daughter of the late Robert Laird, builder, Sydney.

Deaths.

BLAIR.—September 8, 1895, Margaret, the beloved wife of William Blair, of 241 New South Head-road.

BRUNING.—September 8, Johann Brüning, late steward of the German Club, Phillip-street, born at Luebtheen, Germany, 10th December, 1857.

CAVANOUGH.—September 7, at her residence, Short-street, Carlton, Emily Anne, the beloved wife of Frederick S. Cavanough, aged 48 years.

DOYLE.—September 8, at his residence, 53 Marlborough-street, Surry Hills, Henry Doyle, aged 60 years. English papers please copy.

FEWINGS.—September 7, at her residence, No. 26 Shepherd-street, Darlington, Margaret, relict of the late John Henry Fewings, aged 62 years.

FLOYD.—September 3, at her residence, Livingstone-street, Burwood, Elizabeth, relict of the late William Floyd (late of Plymouth, England), aged 65 years. Home papers please copy.

HEALY.—September 7, at his residence, 22 Roslyn-street, Darlinghurst, Patrick Joseph Healy, barrister-at-law, aged 52 years.

HEUSTON.—September 6, 1895, at his residence, 95 Walker-street, Redfern, Samuel James Heuston, aged 31, leaving a loving wife and three children to mourn their loss.

HEUSTON.—September 6, at his residence, 95 Walker-street, Redfern, Samuel James Heuston, aged 31 years and 9 months. Asleep in Jesus.

KELLY.—August 31, at his residence, Mynora, Moruya, John, only son of the late Peter and Dorothy Kelly, county Kildare, Ireland, aged 64 years. R.I.P.

STUART-CANSDELL.—September 6, at Buenos Ayres, Moore-street, Bondi, Emily Beatrice, fourth daughter of C. Stuart-Cansdell, barrister-at-law.

In Memoriam.

ANDERSON.—In memory of Andrew Ernest Arthur (Sonnie), the beloved son of Martin and Margaret Anderson, died 9th September, 1889, aged 19 years. Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.

ANDERSON.—In memory of our dear brother (Sonnie), died 9th September, 1889, aged 19 years. Blessed are the dead. L. M. A. and M. A.

ANDERSON.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Andrew, who departed this life 9th September, 1889. Inserted by his loving sisters, Ada and Annie.

RICE.—In sad and loving memory of my dear daughter, Janey Rice, who died 8th September, 1894. Inserted by her loving mother and sisters. R.I.P.

RICHARDS.—In loving remembrance of our dear father, Henry James Richards, who died September 9th, 1894, aged 72 years.

O silent grave, to thee we trust
This precious part of earthly dust;
Guard it safely, sacred tomb,
Till we, his children, ask for room.

Inserted by his loving children.

RICKARDS.—In loving memory of my dear playmate, Sydney Rickards, who died September 9th, 1892. Inserted by his chum, Bertie Douglass.

SMITH.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mary Smith, who died the 9th of September, 1878, aged 57.

In dreams I see that dear old face,
And miss that furrowed brow,
And whisper as I loved her then,
I love her memory now.

SMITH.—In loving remembrance of our dear mother, Margaret Robertson Smith, who departed this life September 8th, 1894, at her late residence, 81 College-street, Balmain North. Inserted by her loving husband and sons, Alexander, Richard and Thomas Smith.

Return Thanks.

Mr. ADAM EASTON desires to express his heartfelt THANKS to all those kind friends who so deeply sympathised with him in his late severe bereavement. Chester Lodge, Camperdown, September 7th, 1895.

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Gera	5319	Oct. 7	Oct. 12	Oct. 16
Darmstadt	5316	Nov. 4	Nov. 9	Nov. 13
Bayern	5642	Dec. 2	Dec. 7	Dec. 11
			1896.	1896.
Prinz-Regent Luitpold	3700	Dec. 30	Jan. 4	Jan. 8
		1896.		
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MARYBOROUGH	Arawatta, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 10; Eurimbla, Friday, Sept. 13
BUNDABERG GLADSTONE	Arawatta, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 10
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T'VILLE, C'TOWN THURSDAY I'L'D NORMANTON BURKETOWN	Warrego, Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 20
NOUMEA SUVA LEVUKA (FIJI) NUKUALOFA HAAPAI VAVAU (TONGA)	Victoria, Saturday, Sept. 14
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COOL STORAGE. TO MASTER BUTCHERS, FISHMONGERS, and POULTRYMEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in consequence of the necessity for additional accommodation at the City Council's Refrigerating Chambers at Woolloomooloo, considerable improvements have recently been undertaken. These are now complete, and the Cooling Chamber, which will be OPEN on MONDAY, the 9th instant, offers the best advantages to be obtained in the city.

Tariff of charges and other particulars may be obtained from the Clerk of the Fish Markets.

HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Sydney, September 5th, 1895.

THE AUSTRALIAN CHILLING and FREEZING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE.

Owing to the extensive additions to our Buildings and Plant now about to be undertaken, we shall not be in a position to receive Stock for Freezing and Export till latter end of October.

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As hundreds of persons were turned away from the Centenary Hall on Saturday evening, Professor JOHANN KRUSE has been persuaded to
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FIVE RACES.
Entries for Next Three Meetings close
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TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1895.
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Characters by
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FORUM SCENE from JULIUS CÆSAR.
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as Marc Antony.
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other characters by Her Majesty's Dramatic Company.

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WILLIAMS and CO., 120 King-st.—Dairy, clears £3 week, 9 cows, horse, cart, &c., £80.

SMALL General Store, splendid chance for couple, all cash trade, fine living. Williams and Co.

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FOR SALE, Fancy Goods BUSINESS, stock at valuation, low rent. 53 Sussex-st.

SUBURB Stationery, Bookselling, and News A. BUSINESS. Private, Oxford-st. P.-office. No agents.

HARRISON and CO., Agents, 194 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.—Hotel, Balmain, 9 years, 8 54's wkly., £350. Hotel, city, principal street, trade £60, £150. Ham, Beef Business, suburbs, trade £35, £60. Dressmaking, Millinery, £50; Wine, Refreshments, £80. Bakery Business, 6 tons weekly, established 20 years.

MARSH and CO., 111 Elizabeth-street, offer—
HOTEL, 12 hhds. week, long lease, no expense
HOTEL, £300, doing 6 36's week; must sell
HOTEL, £140, full price, 4 27's week, proof.

BLAIR and CO., HOTEL BROKERS,
156 Pitt-street, over W. H. Soul's.
Hotel, Newtown, fine corner, rent £3, 6 x 36's weekly, £250
Hotel, city, 6 years, rent £3, trade £35, free, £200
Hotel at large wharf, 5 yrs., rent 50s, £30 weekly, £150
Hotel, Surry Hills, corner, rent 50s, trade £20, £60 cash
Hotel, South Coast, main shipping port, 20 rooms, furn., rent 40s; illness cause selling; free, £250, bargain.

LODGING-HOUSE, estab., £35, gift, 8 lodgers, rent 16s, reasonable offer accep. 172 Dowling-st., Woolloo.

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RESTAURANT.—Old-established, low rent, cheap. Veritas, Park-st., P.O.

WATERS and CO., Bank-chambers, 1 Rowe-st.—Fruit and Confec., city, low rent, well stocked, £15, gift.

WATERS and CO.—Refreshment Rooms, city, trade £30 wkly., well furnished, selling through illness, £150.

BAKERY, country, combined with General Store, 2000 loaves wkly., trade £40, low rent. 1 Rowe-st.

WATERS and CO.—Grocery Store, well stocked, will sacrifice for £55, proof trade £30 wkly. 1 Rowe-st.

BAKERY, rising country district, 13 bags week (3d), good plant, cheap. Asher, 97 Elizabeth-st.

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IVAN HENRY, 119 King-street.

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, city, newly furnished, trade £60 wkly., no rent. £1000. 119 King-st.

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FORBES, trade £30 wkly., full price £450
ALBURY, trade £50 wkly., good billiard-room
SOUTH, best township, 15 yrs.' lease, trade over £60
BOMBALA, close to shearing sheds, a bargain
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Cootamundra, Braidwood, Quirindi, Wyalong, Mittagong, freehold, very easy terms, or lease
Candelo, 6d drinks, very reasonable, terms.
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Hotel, suburbs, full price £160, no brewer
Hotel, Moore Park, nice home, £80, cheap
Hotel, Redfern, near pay office, £150
Hotel, 12 54's weekly, all bar trade, £400
Hotel, heart of city, trade £200 wkly., £1800.

FOR SALE, Drapery BUSINESS, or Stock, Fixtures, and Fittings. For particulars, apply
Mrs. THOS. PETERS, 110 William-street; or
W. GARDINER and CO., York-street.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Cable Tram.—REFRESHMENT ROOMS, best stand in North Sydney. Apply
T. GROSS, Butcher,
North Sydney-road.

FOR SALE, snug Tobacco and Hairdressing Business, centre city, cheap. Windle's Agency, 33½ Glebe-rd.

YANKEE 'BUS, nearly new, 6 Horses, right of road, good paying. T. Davies, proprietor, Cook's River.

A SMALL Confectionery and Fancy Goods Business for Sale at valuation. G. Gough, Mount Victoria.

ESTATE Agency, £25, old-established bus., £4 weekly, satisfactory reason for selling. Property, Herald.

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THE FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited, in Liquidation, has LAND and PROPERTIES in the undermentioned places for SALE, CHEAP:—

ASHFIELD	HARRIS PARK	NEWCASTLE
AUBURN	INGLEBURN	PARRAMATTA
BALMAIN	LANE COVE	RANDWICK
BELMORE	LISMORE	REGENT'S
BURWOOD	LONGUEVILLE	PARK
BOTANY	MANLY	ROOKWOOD
BRUSH FARM	MACQUARIE	SMITHFIELD
CANLEY VALE	FIELDS	SPRINGWOOD
CHATSWOOD	MARRICKVILLE	SUTHERLAND
FAIRY MEA-	MERRYLANDS	ULTIMO
DOW	MINTO	WAVERLEY
GUILFORD	MOSS VALE	WOOLWICH
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PARTICULARS and TERMS on application to
J. RANKIN, Official Liquidator.

NEAR PARRAMATTA, centre fruit district.—Most compact FARM and ORCHARD, 34 acres, yielding handsome returns. Residence, good water supply, 20 acres orange, lemon, mandarins, grapes, passion fruits, peaches, apricots, and all kinds summer fruits; grass paddocks, bush lands; working plant included; £1200.
G. H. MOBBS, Parramatta.

MERRYLANDS.—3 ALLOTMENTS, enclosed paling fence, 3-roomed W.B. Cottage, poultry sheds, stable, underground tank (bricked), fruit trees, &c., good position, handy to school and station; Torrens; £60, £20 down, bal. 5s week.
G. H. MOBBS, Parramatta.

PENNANT HILLS-ROAD, near Oowan Brae.—Brick 2-storied Family RESIDENCE, coachhouse, stables, paddock; also first-class Brick COTTAGE, 15 acres land, including a good orchard; price for the lot, £1850; easy terms.
G. H. MOBBS, Auctioneer, Parramatta.

FOREST LODGE, Good Corner Position.—New Bay-window Brick COTTAGE, contains hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, laundry, good stable and buggy-shed, price £495.
PAGE and NOTTING, 139 King-street.

GOOD Block of LAND, 20 x 112, near Enmore tram terminus, £75. Page and Notting, 139 King-st.

CHATSWOOD.—Gentleman's VILLA, 8 rooms, &c., land 84 x 200, £1200. Page and Notting, King-st.

FORCED SALE.—Grand Brick COTTAGE, 6 rooms, full of comforts, good part of Marrickville, land has 60ft. frontage by 100, £450.
PAGE and NOTTING, 139 King-street.

CROYDON.—A very comfortable COTTAGE, hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, bath, pantry, washhouse, land 50 x 196; Torrens; price £575. Terms.
WATKIN and WATKIN, Ashfield.

AUCTION SALE, 5th October, of Mount Albion Estate, Fern, Douglas, Albion streets and Carrington-road, Randwick, by E. C. V. BROUGHTON,
304 Pitt-street, Sydney.

MOSMAN.—A BARGAIN.—Pretty bow-windowed COTTAGE, 5 rooms, kitchen, offices, land 50 x 150, garden back and front. Choice position, being situate at corner of two principal streets. Water and gas. Price, only £500. Terms. Those in search of a pretty home should secure this bargain.
McINTYRE and HORNING,
Wood's-chambers, No. 5 Moore-street, City.

KENSINGTON.—For SALE, at prices to suit the times, two recently-erected Detached Brick COTTAGES in Doncaster Avenue, containing 6 rooms, and all modern conveniences; comfortable and convenient homes, ready for occupation. Particulars at the Estate Office, Kensington.

WAVERLEY.—Detached Brick COTTAGE, 6 rooms, kitchen, &c., good position, close trams, land 40ft. frontage. Mortgagee's sale. Only £725; easy terms.
W. J. DOUGLAS, 309 Pitt-street.

MOLONG DISTRICT.—A splendid PROPERTY, 940 acres, good land, fenced, sheep proof, subdivided, 70 acres cultivation; commodious House; Orchard, full bearing, ringbarked. Possession given 1st October. Would sell on easy terms or lease for a term. Further particulars apply to HENRY VEST, 128 George-street, Redfern.

PIG and Poultry FARM for SALE, 3 acres, 10s a week. R. Crowl, off Campbell-st., Alexandria.

A BARGAIN, 15 mts. from City.—Elegant detached brick Cottage, wide hall, 4 good rooms, kit., ldry., bathroom, marble mantels, tiled hearths and verandah, land 27 x 200; £525, easy t'ms. J. E. Handcock, 134 Pitt-st.

GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE and GROUNDS for SALE, privately,
or
to LET,
Furnished or Unfurnished,
for a term, consisting of 6 rooms, kitchen, 5 acres land, beautifully laid out, all cultivated, with fruit, flowers, irrigated, best suburbs; rent moderate; income fruit; principals only.
Box 429, G.P.O.

CHATSWOOD, Mosman, Longueville.—Land for Sale, Torrens, assistance to build. R. Harnett, Hunter-st.

TO GENTLEMEN IN SEARCH OF A LOVELY COTTAGE RESIDENCE.—For SALE, Stanmore, handsome COTTAGE, 7 rooms, &c., land 40 x 120, £750.
KITT and CO., 38 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

A PAIR splendid SHOPS and Dwellings, Parramatta-rd., L'hardt, well ten., spln. invest. 90 Renwick-st., Lhdt.

STANMORE.—For SALE, COTTAGES, Villas, and Gentlemen's Residences in this select suburb, at all prices. Call or write for particulars.
P. LEAHY, Stanmore Station.

STANMORE.—Detached Brick COTTAGE, 5 rooms, kitchen, bath, laundry, £475; terms, £25, balance rent.
P. LEAHY,
Stanmore Station.

Horses and Vehicles.

A SPLENDID Double-seated, Cut-under, Hooded BUGGY, Horse and Harness, cost £80, to be sold cheap, trial given, horse guaranteed quiet, suit lady. Apply 374 Kent-street.

FOR SALE, three HORSES, suitable for light harness; one Black MARE, 16 hands, very fast, suitable for cab. Apply
125 Kippax-street, Surry Hills.

SORE BACKS CURED BY CONDY'S FLUID.—Horses suffering from sore shoulders, sore backs, broken knees, wounds, bruises, &c., cured in a few hours by bathing the parts affected with diluted Condy's Fluid. Use a tablespoonful to a pint of water. Caution.—Insist on having Condy's Fluid. Beware of imitations. Veterinary book with every bottle containing instructions for curing all Diseases of Horses, Sheep, Cattle, &c. Sold by all chemists. Manufactured only at Condy's Fluid Works, London, England.

GOOD working, light harness, quiet Bay HORSE, 6 years old, any trial, £6. 28 Park-rd., Moore Park.

MOORE'S B.S. Ladies' Sulkies, Pony Sulkies, Carts, and Phaetons, variety of styles. Oxf. and Flinders sts.

SULKIES at low prices, bargains. Call and inspect, City Carriage Works, Ultimo-rd., opp. Technical College.

FOR SALE, superior 3-spring Hooded SULKY, also Harness, bargain. Avoca, Parkes-st., Camperdown.

EIGHT Pounds 10s.—Double-seated Buggy, first-class condition, great bargain. Auction Mart, 274 Pitt-st.

WANTED, a Pony and Harness, Village Cart, or Sulky, must be cheap. 545 Harris-st., Ultimo.

WANTED to Buy, Second-hand Light Single-horse Lorry, good condition. J. Jackson, Walker-st., Rdn.

WANTED to Buy, strong Village CART or SULKY, strong COB, and HARNESS, trial wanted; must be cheap. State price,
W. A., Herald Office.

WANTED, SULKY, hooded, seat three; also HORSE, 14 or 15 hands, and HARNESS; good condition; must be moderate. Coates's Family Hotel, College-street, Balmain.

Auction Sales.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
All lots not specially advertised.
And at 12 o'clock,
All lots specially advertised.
Regular Sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown or elsewhere any afternoon.
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate and best of forage.

A.J.C. SPRING MEETING.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary A.J. Club to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Monday, 9th instant, at 12 o'clock,
The right to collect at entrance to the St. Leger Reserve for above meeting, to be held at Randwick on 14th, 17th, 19th, and 21st instant.

"CALLAGHAN" BOOTS AND SHOES.
THE BEST WEARING AND MOST STYLISH FOOTWEAR FOR LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S USE.
STRICTLY MODERATE PRICES.
CALLAGHAN AND SON,
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SO REFRESHING
AS A CUP OF THE CELEBRATED
"JOHN BULL" TEA.
DELICIOUSLY BLENDED.
NO FINER EXISTS.
SOLD IN ½lb. and 1lb. PACKETS,
and in 5lb. TINS.

Auction Sales.

THE RACEHORSE INSIGNIA.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock, under bill of sale,
INSIGNIA, b g (full brother to Paris), by Grandmaster from Enone, winner of many races.

NEW D.S. BUGGY.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock,
New D.S. buggy, with brake and lamps.

2 FRESH COUNTRY HORSES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Thos. Quirk, Wollongong, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
2 bay geldings, 5 yrs., broken to saddle and harness.

GEORGE KISS wants to Buy a few well-bred Pony GELDINGS or MARES, 4 years, 14 to 14.2.

W. J. MOXHAM and CO.
will hold their Weekly Sale of Vehicles
at Auction,
on TUESDAY, September 10th, at 11 a.m.,
consisting of
Pony Sulkies
Business Sulkies
Pleasure Sulkies
Dogcarts, Bradley Carts
Victorias, Carryalls, Sociables, &c.
From the Workshops of English, American, and Colonial Builders.

W. J. MOXHAM and CO. are favoured with instructions to offer the above at their Commercial Sale Rooms, 19 York-street, Wynyard-square, at 11 a.m., on TUESDAY, September 10th.
Terms, Cash.

N.B.—Importers, manufacturers, or private parties wishing to dispose of their vehicles will please send particulars not later than FRIDAY in each week, in order to obtain a place in our list.

INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.
THIS DAY, at half-past 10 sharp.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, THIS DAY, the following:—
At half-past 10 o'clock,
Vans, springcarts, horses, and harness
Draught horses, tipdrays, and harness.
At 12 o'clock,
Superior draught mares and geldings
Well-bred saddle and harness horses
Van, 'bus, and saddle horses. Telephone, 1331.

FIVE DRAUGHT HORSES, FOUR TIP DRAYS, ONE DOUBLE DRAY and HARNESS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW (Tuesday), at 12 o'clock,
The above contractor's plant, without reserve, under a bill of sale.

THE STEEPLECHASE HORSE HAWTHORNE.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW (Tuesday), at 12 o'clock,
HAWTHORNE, bay steeplechase horse, 6 years, a good performer. Particulars at sale.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS, WEDNESDAY, 11th instant.
FROM MESSRS. WHITE BROTHERS, EDINGLASSIE.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. WHITE BROS., EDINGLASSIE, Hunter River, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY Next, 11th instant, at 2.30 p.m.,
40 superior draught and light horses, all of which are unbroken and in splendid condition, advised as specially good.

TO BREWERS, HEAVY CARRIERS, INDIAN BUYERS, OMNIBUS PROPRIETORS, AND OTHERS.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS, FRIDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER.
50 SUPERIOR HEAVY DRAUGHT and LIGHT HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. MARSHALL and MOONEY to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on FRIDAY Next, 13th instant, at 2.30 p.m.,
50 SUPERIOR HORSES of a heavy and light description, 4 to 5 years old, comprising upstanding light harness horses and extra heavy draughts, suitable for brewers and heavy carriers, all of the one brand, and direct from the station of the breeder.
_ THE ABOVE ARE DESCRIBED by Messrs. MARSHALL and MOONEY AS BEING THE BEST LOT EVER BROUGHT FORWARD BY THEM TO THIS MARKET DURING THEIR 20 YEARS' EXPERIENCE.
INCLUDED IN THE DRAFT ARE SEVERAL UPSTANDING BAY CARRIAGE COLTS deserving of particular attention.

BEADELL'S BAZAAR,
68 Hunter-street.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
of
HIGH-CLASS HORSES, VEHICLES, HARNESS, &c., &c.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO. has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at Beadell's Bazaar, 68 Hunter-street, on WEDNESDAY, 11th September, at 2 p.m., as follows:—
On account of CYPRIAN STANTON, Esq.
Very fine upstanding bay carriage horse, thoroughly quiet and sound, a grand mover
Superior Victoria, by Angus } in first-class order
Brougham cab, by A. C. Sagar }
Several sets carriage harness
Stable appointments and sundries.
On account of W. M. BARKER, Esq.
Exceptionally stylish dark-brown gelding, of the English hunter type, thoroughly broken to saddle and harness; is being sold solely on account of the owner having no further use for him.
On account of Owners.
Handsome bright chestnut mare, 15.3, 6 years, by Au Revoir, dam by Stafford, a perfect hack for lady or gentleman, sound and quiet, is also broken to harness
Superior light hooded single-seat buggy, almost new
Imported Irish jaunting car (by Mullins and Son, Cork), light, and in real good order.
All the above are on view at the Bazaar, where inspection is invited.

To Indian Buyers, 'Bus and Cab Proprietors, Brewers, and Carriers.
HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN SALEYARDS,
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11,
at 2.30 p.m.
50 Head HORSES, from the Macquarie and Murrumbidgee.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, as above.
Account of W. H. SIMPSON, Esq., Woodbine.
3 trucks upstanding light harness and saddle horses, broken and unbroken, good ages, suitable for Indian remounts, 'bus and cab purposes.
Account JAMES BRENNAN, Esq., Wollar.
1 truck of similar descriptions, chiefly broken in.
Account F. WENTWORTH, Esq., Burrabogie.
1 truck extra heavy draught colts, the best of the kind ever yarded at Camperdown.

PRODUCE SALES.
SYDNEY WOOL-SELLING BROKERS' ASSOCIATION.
SALES by AUCTION will be held TO-DAY, MONDAY, as under:—
HIDES—At their Stores, at 10 a.m., Dalgety and Co., Limited.

TO INDIAN BUYERS, 'BUS AND CAB PROPRIETORS.
CAMPERDOWN SALE YARDS.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.
J. C. YOUNG and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction as above, at 3 o'clock sharp,
12 upstanding light harness and saddle horses, possessing size, quality, and substance, specially suitable for the Indian market.

Auction Sales.

F. G. WEAVER has received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, Monday, the 9th instant,
65 prime fat bullocks, for W. J. Gallagher, Esq., from Brindley Park
40 prime fat bullocks, for Edward White, Esq., from Martindale, by rail.

HOMEBUSH SALES.
THIS DAY, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1895.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell as under:—
170 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Cox, Dowling, and Co., Pillicawarrina
100 prime fat cattle, for Mr. W. M. M'Dougall, Clifton
120 prime fat cattle, for Estate late R. Hill, Buttabone
100 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. J. and G. Williams, Tyreel
90 prime fat cattle, for Mr. G. Baker, Laura
80 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Cobb and Co., Claverton
50 prime fat cattle, for Mr. R. T. Hall, Gundabe
33 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. H. Bailey, Singleton
50 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. K. Mackay, Cangon
40 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. C. Hardie, Cliffdale
800 ditto ditto sheep, for Mr. Wilson, Wee Waa
301 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. M'Farland, jun., Paisley.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Homebush Sale Yards, THIS DAY, Monday, at the usual hour,
1000 prime fat sheep, for John Cheney, jun., Esq., Opossum Plain
100 prime fat sheep, for Jas. Robinson, Esq., Kins
30 ditto ditto cattle, for W. H. Mackay, Esq., Anambah

HOMEBUSH SALES, THIS DAY.
JOSEPH LEEDS will sell as above.
182 prime fat cattle, for Mungie Bundie Station, Moree
100 prime fat cattle, for J. A. Gardiner, Esq., Oakdon
30 prime fat cattle, for Colley Creek Station, Willow Tree
200 prime fat sheep, for G. Burcham, Esq.

FLEMINGTON FAT STOCK SALES.
THIS DAY, MONDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER.
J. C. YOUNG and CO. will sell by auction as above, at usual hour,
40 prime fat cattle, for Daniel Jurd, Esq., Leura
30 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Browne Bros., Mahonga, Dieu
20 prime fat cattle, for Geo. Osmund, Esq., Dungog
10 ditto ditto ditto, for W. J. Denmead, Esq., Goulburn
10 prime fat cattle, for J. Dines, Esq., Singleton
10 ditto ditto ditto, for W. Andrews, Esq., Harden
1700 ditto ditto sheep, for J. Wilson, Esq., Harden
200 ditto ditto ditto, for F. Hamilton, Esq., Beena.

TRADE NOTICE.
MAIDEN BROS. (28 Castlereagh-street) will sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, at the usual hour,
200 prime fat cattle, for J. R. Lomax, Esq., from Caidmurra.

HOMEBUSH, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction,
200 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Christian and Grieve, Retreat
135 prime fat cattle, for Mr. H. Brooks, Toowoomba
49 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. K. Clark, Glendeandi
45 prime fat cattle, for A. A. Co., Warrah
30 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Dangar Bros., Mooki Springs
26 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. G. and C. Binnie, &c.
20 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Britton and Denehoe, Hay
8 prime fat cattle, for Mr. W. Bowman, Balmoral
3210 prime fat sheep, for Dunumbral station, Walgett
2430 ditto ditto ditto, for A. A. Co., Warrah
1500 ditto ditto ditto, for Walhallow Estate
1440 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Clift Bros., Breeza
540 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. H. C. White and Cobb, Bando
534 prime fat sheep and lambs, for Mr. M. E. Crowe, Cannonbar
500 prime fat sheep and lambs, for Mr. E. A. Beasley, Cannonbar
303 prime fat sheep, for Messrs. Britton and Denehoe, Hay
300 prime fat sheep, for Mr. Jas. Baar, Hay
200 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. A. Anderson, Gunningbar Creek
125 prime fat lambs, for Mr. F. L. Learmonth, Bringagee
116 prime fat lambs, for Messrs. Britton and Denehoe, Hay.

WILKINSON and LAVENDER will sell, at Flemington Yards, THIS DAY,
600 prime ewes and wethers, for Messrs. Horton Bros., Elwood
630 shorn ewes, for R. D. Barton, Esq., Burren
400 prime ewes and wethers, for W. Green, Esq., Narrabri
300 prime sheep, for T. F. Patterson, Esq., Ulonga.

TRADE NOTICE.
WARDEN HARRY GRAVES and SON will sell TO-DAY, at usual hours,
206 prime fat sheep, for J. H. Spiller, Yarragundry
200 prime fat sheep, for W. Arnold, Brighton.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at Redfern Station, THIS DAY, at 9.15,
Hay, straw, chaff, maize, pumpkins, potatoes.
DENT and PERRY, Auctioneers, 151 Sussex-street.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st.—Auction Sale, This Day, at 12 o'clock, Beef, Mutton, Pigs.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11.
WEEKLY SALE.
AT THE OLD-ESTABLISHED ROOMS,
7 WYNYARD-STREET.
FAMILY AND FANCY DRAPERY, MERCERY, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES.
JAMES RODD and CO. will sell by auction, OPEN STOCK, BROKEN and ENTIRE PACKAGES of above.
Fuller Particulars Later.

TO DEALERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, and OTHERS.
HYAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Monday, at 11 a.m., on the premises, No. 148, corner Underwood and Elizabeth streets, Paddington, Household furniture and effects,
5 Half-tester bedsteads and bedding
5 chests drawers, toilets
Drawing-room suite, octagon table
Austrian furniture, overmantels
2 dressers, k. table, pictures, carpets
Miscellaneous furniture, sundries, &c., &c.
No Reserve. Terms, Cash.

TO DEALERS and OTHERS.
HYAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction THIS DAY, Monday, at 2.30 p.m., on the premises, Parramatta-road, Petersham, opposite Newton-street,
Miscellaneous furniture and effects.
No Reserve. Terms, Cash.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 2.30 o'clock.
At 35 Glebe-road, Glebe.
J. BROWN and CO. will offer for imperative Auction Sale, under rent order warrant,
Brass-mtd. bedsteads and bedding, chest drs., Drawing, dining, and bed room suites, oilcloth, Hall stands, tables, chairs, whatnot, carpet, Duchess prs., overmantel, rattan chairs and settees, Couches, large mahogany toilet glass, pictures, clock, and most requisites for furnishing throughout.

UNDER DISTRAINT FOR RENT.
MIDDLETON and CO. will sell by public auction THIS Day, at 9.30 a.m., at 53 Fitzroy-street, S. Hills, Household furniture and effects. No Reserve.

THIS DAY, at 2.30.
MIDDLETON and CO. sell by auction, at 71 Regent-street, Sydney, contents of a 5-roomed house, removed from Waterloo for convenience of sale.

D. A. MUNRO will sell, THIS DAY, 2.30, 73 Regent-street,
Clothing, jewellery, boots, shoes, hosiery, clocks, Showcases, furniture, ornaments, sundries, and groceries.

UNDER RENT DISTRAINT, UNLESS PREVIOUSLY SATISFIED.
C. R. TOULSON (in conjunction with Sutton and Son) will sell, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at 183 Regent-st., Darlington, ar. D. and D. Inst., Bedsteads, chests drawers, washstands, tables, chairs, dresser, kit. utensils, sundries.

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DRAWING-ROOM SUITE of 7 pieces, Upholstered in Rich Silk Tapestry and Plush Borders, £5 5s.
DINING-ROOM SUITE of 9 pieces, Covered with Leather, Spring-seated, a good serviceable suite, £6 6s.
BEDROOM SUITE, comprising Wardrobe with Glass Front and one Drawer, Washstand with Towel Rail, Dressing Table with Swing Glass, and one Chair, £4 19s 6d.

Cane and Wicker Fancy Armchairs	£0 8 6	Dining Table, 4 x 3, turned legs	£0 10 6
Cane Tables	0 9 6	Pine Kitchen Tables, 4 x 2	0 6 6
Bamboo Tables (pretty design)	0 7 6	Sideboards, with bevelled plate-glass back	3 15 0
Polished Pine Chests of Drawers	1 2 6	Austrian Bentwood Chairs	0 4 3
Polished Pine Toilet Chests, with swing glass	1 15 0	Dining-room Chairs in Leather, spring seats	0 14 6
Black Kitchen Chairs	0 2 3	Gipsy Tables, best make	0 1 9

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FURNITURE, CARPETS, BEDSTEADS, BEDDING.
TRY HALL'S.
HALL'S BEDROOM FURNITURE in Polished Pine, viz., Duchesse Chest Drawers (with glass attached), 35s; Marble-top Washstand, 21s; Cane Chair, 3s 6d; Towel Rail, 3s 6d; Wardrobe, with plate-glass door, 65s
HALL'S PRINCESS BEDROOM SUITE, comprising Wardrobe (with plate-glass door), pair Duchesse Dressing Tables (with jewel drawers and glass attached), Washstand (with tile back and marble top), Towel Rail, two Cane-seated Chairs, 7 guineas
HALL'S DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, viz., pair Lounging Chairs, four Carved Occasional Chairs, and Couch, richly upholstered in French tapestry, with rich plush borders, 5 guineas
HALL'S EARLY ENGLISH DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, luxuriously upholstered in Oriental tapestry, relieved with silk plush; pair Ladies' Gossip Chairs, pair Gentlemen's Arm Chairs, Settee, en suite, 6 guineas.
HALL'S NEW DESIGN AUSTRIAN DINING-ROOM SUITE, six Chairs, Gent.'s Armchair, Lady's Rocker and Settee, 4 guineas
HALL'S DINING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in leather, large Couch, pair Arm Chairs, and six Padded-back Chairs, all spring-seated, 6 guineas
HALL'S FULL-SIZED HALF-TESTER BEDSTEAD, with extended footrail and brass mounts, Double Wire Wove Mattress, Kapok Mattress, Bolster, and two Pillows in best Belgium tick, complete, 4 guineas
HALL'S SIDEBOARDS (with glass back), 45s; Overmantels (with all bevelled-edge plate-glass panels), 42s; Inlaid Corner Whatnots, 10s 6d; Occasional Tables, 12s 6d; Gipsy Tables, best make, 2s 6d.
A. HALL AND COMPANY,
CORNER GEORGE AND LIVERPOOL STREETS, SYDNEY.
HALLS PACK COUNTRY ORDERS FREE. HALL'S NEW ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE FREE.
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BEAUTIFUL TAPESTRY AND PLUSH SUITES OF 7 PIECES, £3 15s; LEATHER DINING-ROOM SUITES OF 9 PIECES, £6; BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, 20s; AND OTHER GOODS EQUALLY CHEAP.
TO THOSE WHO CANNOT PAY CASH DOWN OUR TERMS ARE:—
£5 WORTH, 10s DEPOSIT, 3s 6d WEEK £20 WORTH, 40s DEPOSIT, 7s 6d WEEK
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AND ANY AMOUNT TO £500 ON EQUALLY EASY TERMS.
EVERY REQUISITE KEPT IN STOCK FOR HOUSEKEEPING.

Auction Sales.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, AT 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.
40 Packages PACKET TEAS
10 Cases CAMPHOR
15 Ditto SAFETY MATCHES
4 Tons BLUE SUGAR PAPER
10 Cases FINE GREY and MEDIUM TWINES
6 Ditto COLOURED TEA TWINE
5 Ditto "HOGARTH'S" JAMS
10 Kegs CREAM TARTAR
50 Cases WAX VESTAS
7 Ditto DOTTRIDGE'S HAMS
20 Ditto TOMATO SAUCE
3 Ditto SLAB CHOCOLATE
40 Ditto SALAD OIL, half-pints
1 Ditto CIGARS
100 Ditto BRANDY
40 Ditto CLARETS
35 Ditto ENGLISH ALE.
To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Hotelkeepers, Storekeepers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 159 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER, AT 11 a.m.
Terms at Sale.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION of SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, comprising CEDAR and PINE CHESTS of DRAWERS, Combination and Portable; PAIRS of CEDAR and PINE TOILETS, with Marble Tops; HANDSOME CEDAR BOOKCASES, Plate-glass Doors, with Drawers and Cupboards; OFFICE TABLES and DESKS, TOILET TABLES, Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Dressers, Pine Safes, ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES, Cedar and Pine Chiffoniers, Cedar Chiffonier Safes, DINING TABLES, Single and Double Washstands; LARGE CEDAR SIDEBOARDS, with Bevelled Plate-glass Backs, and fitted with Drawers, Cellarettes, &c.; PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES, with Bevelled Plate-glass Doors.
HANDSOME OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c., in Walnut and Black-and-Gold Frames, &c., &c., &c.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, &c., &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will hold the above EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 159 PITT-STREET, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
TERMS, CASH.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247a Pitt-street, The FURNITURE and effects of a 4-roomed house, removed from the suburbs for positive sale.
Also a large quantity of English and colonial-made furniture, comprising dining and drawing room suites, sideboards, cheffoniers, bookcases, tables, overmantels, double and single bedsteads and bedding, wardrobes, toilet pairs, chests drawers, kitchen utensils, &c.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247a Pitt-street, THIS DAY.
The unredeemed pledges pawned at the Queen's Loan and Discount Company, of Bathurst-street.
At 11 o'clock, clothing, boots, blankets, &c.
At 2 o'clock, sundries and jewellery, comprising Field and opera glasses, cutlery, e.p. ware
Musical instruments, books, clocks, &c.
Gold and silver watches, gold alberts, necklets
Lockets and chains, bracelets, pins, studs, links, brooches and earrings
Signet, dress, keeper, and wedding rings, &c.

THIS DAY, at 12 NOON.
At 305 Pitt-street, near Liverpool-street.
SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION of part of A HOUSEHOLD OF FURNITURE, Removed from 420 Bourke-street.
8 Carpets, 2 Overmantels, Drawing-room Suite, H.C. Suite, Bookcase, Couch, Wardrobe, Toilets and Ware, Chest of Drawers, Toilet Glass, and Sundries, and SUPERIOR WALNUT PIANOFORTE.
H. W. BROOK and CO. have received instructions to sell as above, THIS DAY, at NOON.

To the Wholesale and Retail Boot Trade, Country Buyers, Dealers, and Others.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, at the ROOMS, 76 PITT-STREET, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, at 11 o'clock sharp.
ON ACCOUNT OF THOSE CONCERNED.
MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES.
Children's Brown Strap 2-b Gipsy Shoes
Women's Glacé Bals., assorted, 3-7
Women's Tan, Butt, and Oxford Shoes, 2-7
Men's Glove Kid and Calf Tan Bals., 5-10
Men's Split, Satin, and Tan Bals., 5-10
Ladies' Glacé, Kid, and Pat. Vamp Bals., 3-7
Girls' Seal Strap, 7-10, 11-1
Ladies' Tan and Glacé Shoes, assorted
Infants' Boots and Shoes, assorted
Boys' and Youths' Bals. and E.S., 7-10, 11-1.
Also,
STOCK OF A RETAIL SHOP, removed to the Rooms.
A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above, at their ROOMS, 76 PITT-STREET, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, September 10, at 11 o'clock sharp.
TERMS AT SALE.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE and IMPORTANT SALE by AUCTION, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th, at 11 o'clock, at CARAMANA, 44 Cavendish-street, Stanmore,
8 minutes' from Enmore Tram Terminus, under instructions from the owner, who is leaving Sydney, the whole of his
VERY SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, SEWING MACHINE, and EFFECTS, comprising
Elegant Inlaid ROSEWOOD CABINET with Mirror back, Handsome OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, Superior WALNUT Inlaid CARD and OCCASIONAL TABLES, WILTON PILE and BRUSSELS CARPETS, WALNUT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, by KLINGMANN and CO., full Iron Frame and Trichord throughout, HANDSOME OIL PAINTINGS by Celebrated Artists, 100 VOLS. of HIGH-CLASS LITERATURE, comprising Poetical, Historical, Fiction and Reference, Elegant E.P. and Glass Ware, Two Very HANDSOME SOLID BRASS DOUBLE BEDSTEAD, with Hair, Kapok, and Spring MATTRESSES, Superior BEDROOM FURNITURE, Large Cedar Extension DINING-TABLE, Beautiful 5ft. Solid CEDAR SIDEBOARD, Mirror back, Elegant RACOON Tail Rug Skin and Other Mats, Crockery, Cutlery, and other useful sundries.
JOSEPH FIENBERG has been favoured with instructions FROM THE OWNER, who is leaving Sydney, to sell by auction on the premises as above, the whole of his Elegant HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Piano, and Effects, and to remind the purchasing public that every line submitted will be sold WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.
Auctioneer's Office, 274 Pitt-street, close to Bathurst-street.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 11 a.m. sharp.
On the premises, corner of DENISON and EVELEIGH STREETS, WAVERLEY.
IMPORTANT and TOTALLY UNRESERVED SALE by AUCTION of FIRST-CLASS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising
WALNUT COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, by an eminent maker
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, 9 pieces
Black and Gold and Gilt Overmantels, Cedar Bookcase
Austrian Furniture, Extending Dining Table, Carpets, Linoleums, E.P. Ware, China, Glassware
Very Handsome Inlaid CHEFFONIER SIDEBOARD
Double and single ½-test, B. and Bedding, C. of Drawers, Wardrobes, Austrian Furniture, Household and Laundry Requisites, about 100 Head of Geese, Fowls, and Ducks; also Upstanding Horse, Harness, and New Sulky; Quantity of Corrugated Iron, Timber, and Sundries.
BARNARD and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at the residence of W. H. Philips, Esq., as above. Terms, cash. Office: 74 Castlereagh-street.

Auction Sales.

JAMES R. LAWSON'S AUCTION SALE ROOMS, 128 PITT-STREET.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, at 11 a.m.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
Extensive Assortment of RATTAN FURNITURE. New and Elegant Designs.
Drawing-room and Parlour Chairs, Lounges, Settees, Children's Chairs, Footstools, &c., &c.
Also,
WALNUT PIANOFORTE by GORS and KALLMAN, and Semi-grand Pianoforte by KAPS (in Walnut Case).
EBONISED PIANOFORTE by STOLLE, OF DRESDEN.
WALNUT PIANOFORTE by A. FRANCKE.
JAMES R. LAWSON has been favoured with instructions from the MORTGAGEE to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 128 Pitt-street, as above, on WEDNESDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.
NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11.
At the CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
INDIAN TEAS, Ex Clitus, from Calcutta.
PACKAGES STAINED. On Account of Whom it may Concern.
By Order of Messrs. Hoon, Santos, and Co.:
H. S. in Diamond, 80 Packages TEA.
And For other Importers:
F. E. in Diamond and Various, 51 Packages TEA.
Bulk at Rooms.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above.
Terms, Cash.

LOST PROPERTY.
DENT and PERRY have received instructions from the Commissioners for Railways to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th September, at 11 o'clock, at Darling Harbour Railway Station,
A quantity of unclaimed and lost property.
Be sure to attend, and secure bargains.

To Engineers, Gasfitters, Ironmongers, Blacksmiths, Furniture Dealers, Carpenters, General Dealers, and Others.
DENT and PERRY have received instructions from the Commissioners for Railways to sell by public auction on FRIDAY, 13th instant, at 11 o'clock, at Darling Harbour Railway Station,
A large quantity of useful store goods, comprising augurs, asbestos grates, gasburners, brackets, blocks, bedsteads, chimneys, venetian blinds, 1 ton wire nails, second-hand furniture, saw blades, water and gas cocks, kerosene lamps, wicks, globes, locks, paints, axles, screws, slates —in fact a lot of goods too numerous to particularise.
THE GOODS WILL BE ON VIEW ON MONDAY.

30 CHOICE OIL PAINTINGS, 50 FRAMED PHOTOS.
SALE BY AUCTION at the READING-ROOM of the GERMAN SCHOOL OF ARTS, Pitt-street.
J. Y. MILLS has been instructed to sell by auction, at the above Room, on THURSDAY, 19th September, at 11 o'clock,
30 choice original oil paintings, by Professor Tannert, 13 years Director in the Academy of Arts, Adelaide.
Portraits, landscape and figure subjects, framed and unframed.
Also, 50 framed photos, copies taken from celebrated pictures in European galleries.
Also, one microscope, guaranteed perfect.
A List of the Pictures can be seen at the Room, and Pictures inspected.

ESTATE OF R. B. WALLACE (deceased).
THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 11 a.m.
In the Rooms, 267 George-street.
By order of the Official Assignee.
The Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest (if any) in and to a one (1) foot Reserve along the northern side of Cadden-road, in a subdivision called Regentville, near Penrith, parish of Claremont. Deposited plan number, 1344.
C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction as above. Terms, Cash.

CROWN LAND SALE
PORT HACKING FREEHOLDS.
Under Instructions from
The Hon. J. H. CARRUTHERS, Minister for Lands.
61 BLOCKS, several fronting GUNNAMATTA BAY and the OCEAN, about 6 miles by road from Sutherland Railway Station.
UPSET PRICES, from £10 to £58 per Block.
DAY of SALE: WEDNESDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, at the SALEROOMS, 110 PITT-STREET, 2 o'clock.
TERMS: Deposit, 25 per cent.; balance in 5 equal annual instalments, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum.
Lithographs may be obtained from the Auctioneers,
J. E. GREEN and CO., 110 Pitt-street.
H. COOKE and CO., Rockdale.

AMAROO ESTATE, situated on the FORBES RAILWAY LINE, 16 miles from Orange and Eight miles from Molong.
AREA, 6299 ACRES OF FREEHOLD AND C.P. LAND, HIGHLY IMPROVED.
J. S. LEEDS and CO. (in conjunction with Mr. A. COULSON) have received instructions from Mr. L. T. Lloyd, Official Assignee in the Bankrupt Estate of Thomas Keenan, and on account of the Executors of the late Mrs. Mary Keenan, to
SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROYAL HOTEL, ORANGE, on MONDAY, 21st OCTOBER, at 2 o'clock,
AMAROO ESTATE, comprising an area of
2855 ACRES OF FREEHOLD LAND, more or less
3444 ACRES OF C.P. LAND, more or less
6299 ACRES, more or less.
The IMPROVEMENTS comprise 5-roomed COTTAGE, Out-houses, LARGE STONE STABLES and COACH-HOUSE (erected at a cost of £500), large STOCK-YARD, DRAFTING YARDS, and every convenience.
The property is divided into 10 conveniently-arranged PADDOCKS, substantially fenced with best SHEEP-PROOF FENCES, five and six wires. The whole is RING-BARKED, and about 500 acres CLEARED for cultivation, whilst at a very small outlay a large area could be cleared.
The property is abundantly WATERED by never-failing springs and creeks and four large dams.
The AMAROO RAILWAY STATION is on the boundary of this Estate, and only a quarter of a mile from the Homestead.
THIS VALUABLE PROPERTY adjoins that of the Hon. F. Jago Smith and others, and is close to the famous Gamboola Estate.
The country is all WHITE BOX and some LIME-STONE, and is RICH AGRICULTURAL and GRAZING LAND, carrying two to three sheep to the acre in all seasons.
The AMAROO RAILWAY STATION being almost on the property makes its present as well as its prospective value very great.
For plans and full information apply to the Agents,
J. S. LEEDS and CO., A. COULSON, } Orange.

Auction Sales.

ORDER OF SALE of SUNDRY PROPERTIES to be submitted by PUBLIC AUCTION by
HUGH DUFF and CO., at their SALEROOMS, 109 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 12th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30.
DARLINGHURST, SURRY-STREET.—TERRACE OF 8 HOUSES, substantially built of brick, stone foundations, slate roof, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, washhouse, fixed tubs and copper, all connected with city sewer. The houses have only been completed recently, and are all occupied. This should attract the attention of those in search of an INVESTMENT.
ANNUAL RENTS, £374.
BALMAIN.—FOR ABSOLUTE SALE, Nos. 2 and 4 PARK-STREET, near Callan Park.—2 brick Cottages, on stone foundation, each contains 3 rooms, hall, kitchen, washhouse, copper, &c.
A COMPACT INVESTMENT. ANNUAL RENTS, £41 12s.
DULWICH HILL.—BY ORDER of the MORTGAGEES.—HERBERT-STREET, detached COTTAGE RESIDENCE (new), built of brick and containing 5 rooms, bathroom, pantry, and washhouse. Land, 25 x 132. MUST BE SOLD.
Further particulars and cards to inspect from
HUGH DUFF and CO., AUCTIONEERS, 109 Pitt-street.

KING-STREET, NEWTOWN.
An important, busy, and valuable thoroughfare.
By Order of the TRUSTEES of the Estate late Mr. GEORGE DAVIS.
Lot 1.—KING and HORDERN STREETS. That very attractive and recently-erected building called SHAKESPEARE HOTEL, at the corner, of brick, part of fronts tuckpointed, and containing bar, cellar, 3 parlours, dining-room, clubroom, 13 bedrooms, storeroom, 2 bathrooms, pantry, scullery, kitchen, and washhouse;
and
HOUSE in HORDERN-STREET of same materials, and containing 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse.
Land, about 29ft. to King-street, and 76ft. to Hordern-street; the width at rear is 70ft.
*** A splendid corner property, on a great thoroughfare.
Lot 2.—KING-STREET, a few yards east of HORDERN-STREET. THREE SHOPS, Nos. 207 to 211 King-street, of brick and weatherboards, awning in front, and each containing one floor. The land has about 44ft. frontage, with depth of 76½ft. on one side, and 61ft. on the other, extending to a lane. RENTAL, £3 7s 6d per week.
Lot 3.—KING-STREET, between Stephen-street and Missenden-road, THREE SHOPS and DWELLINGS, Nos. 131-135 King-street, of brick, stone foundations, awning in front, and containing severally 8 apartments, 5 apartments, and attic, and 2 apartments. Rent, £3 11s 3d per week. The land has about 57ft. frontage, with depth of about 140ft., part along a lane.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 13th September, at 11 o'clock.
The above
STERLING INVESTMENTS, in populous Newtown. (1262)

HOTEL WITHOUT LEASE.
By order of the EXECUTORS of the Estate of the late Mrs. BRIDGET QUIGLEY.
THE ELPHIN HOTEL, at the corner of HARGRAVE and TAYLOR STREETS, PADDINGTON. It is of brick, cemented, stone foundation, balcony, and containing bar, 9 rooms, kitchen, and cellar, bathroom, gas, sewer, city water. The LAND has 20 feet frontage to south side of Hargrave-street, and 105 feet to Taylor-street.
*** The LICENSE, GOODWILL, FITTINGS, FURNITURE, except Piano, go with the property.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above hotel at Paddington.
TITLE TORRENS.
T. M. Slattery, Esq., is Solicitor of the Estate. (1255)

ASHFIELD HEIGHTS.
A Delightfully-situated Two-story RESIDENCE, known as CLIFTON VILLA, fronting VICTORIA-STREET, between Clissold and Sea View streets, and situated opposite Glentworth, the residence of Mrs. Clissold. The House is substantially built of brick (cemented front) on stone foundation, with verandahs and balconies front and rear, and containing hall, 9 rooms, servants' room, bathroom, linen press, pantry, kitchen, and laundry, detached weatherboard stabl (2 stalls), coachhouse, and man's room.
The Land has 59ft. frontage to Victoria-street, depth 141ft., extending to a lane at the rear.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above desirable residence at Ashfield. Torrens title. (1263)

MAIN BUSINESS THOROUGHFARE, viz., REGENT-STREET, REDFERN, a few yards beyond the city boundary.
TERRACE of FIVE SHOPS (FREEHOLD), Nos. 54 to 62 REGENT-STREET, at corner of Holden-street, between Cleveland and Wells streets. They are of brick, and each contains shop, 3 rooms, and kitchen; awning in front. Rentals, £156 per annum. LAND, about 65ft. to west side of Regent-street, depth along Holden-street and extending to a right of way. Sewer.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above FREEHOLD at Redfern. (1261)

HOTEL. HOTEL.
GORDON, on North Shore Railway Line.
LOT 1.—THE GREENGATE HOTEL, and extensive BLOCK of LAND, 3 acres 3 roods 14½ perches, having 162ft. frontage to the LANE COVE-ROAD, with a depth of 1070ft. 6in. along a road (50ft. wide) extending to the railway fence.
THE BUILDING is of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony front and rear, and containing 13 rooms, kitchen, and cellar; a shed of iron containing 2 floors.
*** This main road is very actively used for business and recreative traffic; and seeing that this delightful district is largely increasing in population, the value of so well situated an hotel must be apparent to those seeking that form of property for their own use or for rental.
LOT 2.—A large BLOCK of LAND, in area 3 ACRES 2 ROODS, having 165ft. 4in. frontage to the LANE COVE-ROAD, (50ft. wide) extending to the railway fence, on which is erected, of brick on stone foundation, a RESIDENCE, with verandah and balcony front and rear, and containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, and cellar; shed at rear.
These are situate on the western side of the railway, and within 8 minutes' walk of the station.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-known properties on the North Shore railway line.
Plans on view. Terms, Liberal. (1260)

DRUMMOYNE and BIRKENHEAD.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
Lot 1. DRUMMOYNE.—That substantial and well-finished RESIDENCE, "CHALFONT," in COLLINGWOOD-STREET, 6 minutes' walk from steamers' wharf. It is of brick, cemented, stone foundation, slate roof, verandah and balcony front and rear, and containing hall, 8 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry and laundry, wooden stable and buggy-house. The land has 50ft. frontage by a depth of 150ft.
*** Electric bells, marble mantelpieces and fenders, cornices, &c., to main rooms.
*** A commodious, well-designed, and comfortable home in a healthy marine suburb.
Lot 2. BIRKENHEAD.—TWO Detached COTTAGES, in THORNLEY-STREET, at the corner of Day-street. They are of brick, tuckpointed fronts, tiled verandahs in front, and each containing 3 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. The land has 40ft. by 97ft.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, on FRIDAY, 13th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (1240)

By order of the Mortgagee.
HURSTVILLE.
An UNDIVIDED MOIETY in the following Extensive and Valuable BLOCKS of LAND, comprising portions of the well-known FOREST-ROAD ESTATE, adjoining the Public School Grounds, and within 8 minutes' walk of the Railway Station, as follows:—
SECTION 1.—4 acres 1 rood 22 perches, having frontages to the Forest-road and Wright-street
SECTION 2.—11 acres 3 roods 28½ perches, fronting Wright, Hudson, and Railway streets.
SECTION 3.—2 acres 3 roods 17 perches, fronting the Forest-road and Hudson-street.
2 acres 1 rood 30½ perches, fronting Hudson-street.
1 acre 4½ perches, fronting Hudson and Railway streets.
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The above.
MARK MITCHELL, Esq., Bank-chambers, Rowe-street, Solicitor for the Mortgagee. (1258)

By order of the Mortgagee.
PETERSHAM WEST.
A capital BUILDING SITE, comprising lots 6, 7, and 8, section 2, Petersham View Estate, having 120ft. frontage to the north-west side of MANCHESTER-STREET, east of Constitution-road, with a depth of 121ft. Plan on view at the rooms.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above building land at Petersham West.
THOMAS LEEDER, Esq., 438 George-street, acts for the mortgagee. (1259)

BURREN-STREET, MACDONALDTOWN, a few yards from Railway Station.
THREE HOUSES, Nos. 39 to 43 BURREN-STREET, of weatherboards (lined), verandahs and balconies, and each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; sewer. Land 46 feet frontage, with a depth of 118 feet.
Rental £86 0s per annum.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 13th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (1257)

CITY LAND and COTTAGE.
BATHURST-STREET, a little west of George-street.
A Position that would make a Most Central Desirable COMMERCIAL WAREHOUSE, being in sight of the Main Artery of Traffic.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
SPLENDID BLOCK of CITY LAND, having 59 FEET 4 INCHES FRONTAGE to the South side of BATHURST-STREET, with a depth of 108ft. On it is a Cottage, No. 97, built of brick, verandah, 5 rooms, attic, kitchen, bathroom, &c.
*** This FREEHOLD adjoins the WAREHOUSE of Messrs. LOVE and CO. Inspection invited.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 20th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above central property. Future large value.
Messrs. JOHNSON, MINTER, SIMPSON, and CO. are Solicitors of the Mortgagees. (1264)

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The adjustment of accounts in connection with the Hawkesbury spring meeting takes place at Tattersall's clubrooms to-day.

The weights for the minor handicaps included in the programme for the opening day of the A. J. C. spring meeting are promised this forenoon.

The programme framed by the Warwick Farm management for the pony and galloway meeting fixed for Wednesday next claims the attention of owners and trainers to-day, for at 5 p.m. nominations for the various events close with the secretary, Mr. George W. S. Rowe.

There was no speculation worthy of note on Saturday evening in connection with the leading events of the A.J.C. Spring Meeting, but during the Hawkesbury settling to-day some business may be anticipated.

Pony racing will be the attraction at Lillie Bridge this afternoon, when the September Handicap will be run through. The sport commences at 3 o'clock.

HAWKESBURY RACE CLUB SPRING MEETING.

SECOND DAY, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.

The Hawkesbury Race Club spring reunion was brought to a successful termination at Rosehill on Saturday, in the presence of a large attendance, and the outing was favoured with beautifully fine though rather warm weather. The transit arrangements were equal to requirements, and at the course the management had everything in the best of order. The track was dry and hard, and several falls occurred. Boko came down near the three-furlong post while taking part in the Corinthian Handicap, and his rider, Mr. W. H. Pye, got his collarbone fractured. Coronado fell at the same time, and Mr. Weston, who had the mount, escaped without injury. Cradle came to grief in the Hawkesbury Grand Handicap, and her jockey, S. Callinan, was badly cut on one of his legs, the wound requiring surgical attention. The Steeplechase was also responsible for a number of harmless falls, Plantagenet, Young Piscator, Taupara, Waratah, and Gladstone, coming to earth at various stages of the contest, but, fortunately, none of the jockeys were injured. A pleasing feature of the outing was the musical treat afforded by the members of the band of the 3rd Infantry Regiment, who, under the able conductorship of Mr. G. Daley, interpreted a well-selected programme of music with taste and precision. The general arrangements were ably supervised by the secretary, Mr. C. S. Guest, and the sport passed off without any friction. The following are the results:—

MEMBERS' HANDICAP of 60 sovs., second horse 10 sovs from the prize, 6 furlongs.—Mr. J. C. Booth's br g Waltzer, by Sword Dance—Brown Bess, aged, 7st 9lb (R. Gough), 1; Mr. P. Moore's b g Lieutenant, 4 years, 7st 13lb (M'Auliffe), 2; Mr. J. Swan's blk m Regina, 4 years, 7st 12lb (A. Luckman), 3. Other starters: Swagman, 8st 10lb; Moorefield, 8st 9lb; Buccleugh, 8st 2lb; Sadur, 8st; Isaac, 7st 12lb; Volney, 7st 7lb; Sir Oliver, 7st; Finis, 7st; Miss Nora, 6st 13lb; Juvenile, 6st 13lb; Blue Wings, 6st 7lb; Nardoo, 6st 7lb; Pastille, 6st 7lb. Betting: 4 to 1 v. Waltzer, 5 to 1 v. Regina, 6 to 1 v. Swagman and Lieutenant, 7 to 1 v. Miss Nora, 10 to 1 v. others. Swagman, Regina, Juvenile, and Lieutenant were the first to show from a good despatch, but, when fairly on their legs, Lieutenant dashed to the front, and soon established a two-lengths' lead from Regina, Swagman, and Waltzer, and, save that the leader got further away, there was no change till they reached the home turn, where Regina, Waltzer, and Swagman were four lengths behind the flying leader. Nearing the distance Waltzer singled out in pursuit of Lieutenant, and getting almost on terms at the half-distance, a great battle was fought out from that point, ending in favour of Waltzer by a head. Regina was about six lengths off third, and was succeeded by Juvenile, Sadur, Moor field, Isaac, and Nardoo, while Buccleugh was last. Time, 1 minute 1½ seconds.

CORINTHIAN HANDICAP of 60 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, lowest weight not less than 9st, the winner of any handicap after the declaration of the weights to carry 7lb extra, for amateur riders only, registered by any recognised club, 1 mile.—Mr. E. Keys' br g Redavni, by Invader—Barbette, 3 years, 9st 7lb (Mr. W. E. Manning), 1; Mr. E. Mayo's br g Cape Pigeon, aged, 9st 10lb (Mr. J. Mayo, jun.), 2; Mr. E. Terry's b or br g Barnaby Rudge, aged, 9st 7lb (Mr. W. Hilly), 3. Other starters: Don O'Connor, 10st 11lb; Boko, 10st 8lb; Comet, 10st 6lb; Vanity, 10st; Jack o' Lantern, 9st 7lb; Nita, 9st 7lb; Coronado, 9st; Carbonado, 9st. Betting: 4 to 1 v. Jack o' Lantern and Comet, 6 to 1 v. Carbonado, 7 to 1 v. Barnaby Rudge and Boko, 8 to 1 v. Redavni, 10 to 1 v. others. Redavni turned the home corner slightly in advance of Barnaby Rudge, Cape Pigeon, and Dan O'Connor, and a great race up the straight resulted in a win for Redavni by three parts of a length from Cape Pigeon, who had Barnaby Rudge on his girths. Jack o' Lantern was a similar distance away fourth, with Comet next four lengths clear from Vanity, while Nita was the last to get home. Time, 1 minute 47 seconds.

HAWKESBURY GRAND HANDICAP of 150 sovs., second horse 20 sovs. from the prize, the winner of a handicap after declaration of weights to carry 5lb penalty, of two or more such handicaps, or one of the value of 100 sovs., 7lb penalty, of any such handicap of the value of 200 sovs. or upwards, 10lb penalty, the winner of the County Purse will incur no penalty, penalties not accumulative, 1 mile 3 furlongs.—Mr. John Mayo's br g Æolus, by Goldsbrough—Whirlwind, 5 years, 7st 4lb (T. Hopplewhite), 1; Mr. A. Thompson's br h Troilus, 4 years, 7st 1lb (E. Schaaf), 2; Mr. J. Dobson's b m Gozoreina, 4 years, 7st 2lb (E. Roach), 3. Other starters: Aureus, 8st 4lb; Cradle, 7st; Kelso, 7st; Sir George, 6st 9lb. Betting: Even money on Æolus, 5 to 1 v. Troilus, 6 to 1 v. Gozoreina, 7 to 1 v. Cradle, 10 to 1 v. Kelso, 100 to 5 (at first 4 to 1) v. Aureus. They left on terms, Sir George and Gozoreina leading past the judge's box, two lengths from Kelso and Æolus, with Aureus last. As they opened out the river stretch Troilus went to the front, and was closely attended by Sir George, Æolus, Kelso, and Aureus, and they sailed past the mile-post in that order. In the next furlong Troilus was two lengths clear from Sir George and Aureus, who were a similar distance in advance of the favourite and Kelso, after whom came Cradle and Gozoreina. Passing the six-furlongs post Troilus retired, and Sir George and Aureus, on terms, were just ahead of the rest, bunched. Aureus got his head in front at the five-furlongs post from Sir George, Troilus, and Kelso, and so they ran past the half-mile post, where Cradle lost her rider. Rounding the bend the favourite came through and turned into the straight with Troilus, Kelso, and Gozoreina. At the distance Troilus and Æolus were fighting it out, but the favourite cut him down in the last 100 yards, and won a good race by a neck. Gozoreina was a length off third, and was followed by Kelso, who was 10 lengths in front of Aureus, while Sir George was beaten off. Time, 2 minutes 26 seconds.

STEEPLECHASE of 75 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, about 2½ miles.—Mr. J. B. Williamson's ch g Marechal Neil, by Red Rose—Drosina, aged, 10st 7lb (J. Katterns), 1; Mr. H. Dargin's ch g Marigold, aged, 9st (C. Megridge), 2; Mr. B. J. Thorne's ch g Alarm Bell, aged, 10st 7lb (T. Grimes), 3. Other starters: Taupara, 10st 2lb; Waratah, 9st 10lb; Plantagenet, 9st 10lb; Reuben, 9st 2lb; St. Dario, 10st 4lb, including 18lb over; Young Piscator, 9st; Gladstone, 9st. Betting: 3 to 1 v. Taupara, 4 to 1 v. Alarm Bell; 6 to 1 v. Marechal Neil and Young Piscator, 10 to 1 v. others. Adopting his customary tactics, Alarm Bell sailed over the treble for the first time, followed by Waratah, Plantagenet, and Marechal Neil. Alarm Bell was two lengths clear from Gladstone, Marigold, and St. Dario as they negotiated the fence near the mile post, but the next jump brought Plantagenet and Young Piscator to grief. After passing the five-furlongs post Marigold ran up to Alarm Bell, while Taupara fell at the next obstacle. The treble was negotiated for the second time with Alarm Bell in command from Marigold, Waratah, Marechal Neil, while St. Dario was already beaten. Nearing the seven-furlongs post, Alarm Bell retired, and Marigold and Marechal Neil led on terms along the back half a dozen lengths from Alarm Bell and Waratah, the lastnamed falling over the jump near the five-furlongs post. Marigold and Marechal Neil kept together until the course proper was reached, when the New Zealander drew away, and won by a dozen lengths from Marigold, who was 100 yards in advance of Alarm Bell, and St. Dario was a furlong away. Time, 5 minutes 15½ seconds.

SPRING WELTER of 60 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, lowest weight not less than 8st 7lb, 6 furlongs.—Mr. A. Thompson's b m Vanity, by Marvellous—Heiress, aged, 9st (Nerricker), 1; Mr. S. Reynold's blk h Inspiration, 4 years, 8st 12lb (James Gough), 2; Mr. C. Baldwin, jun.'s, br g Telegraph, 4 years, 8st 9lb (W. Leadbeater), 3. Other starters: Sunburst, 9st 12lb; Rock Rose, 9st 11lb; Horizon, 9st 9lb; Newcastle, 9st 4lb; Hotspur, 9st; The Roe, 9st; Tarroon, 8st 12lb; Wild Olive, 8st 12lb; Ascot, 8st 8lb; Red Rose, 8st 8lb; Blue Bell, 8st 7lb; Sovereign, 8st 7lb; The Sketch, 8st 7lb; Nardoo, 8st 7lb; Resplendent, 8st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 1 v. Telegraph and Sunburst, 6 to 1 v. Newcastle and Hotspur, 8 to 1 v. Inspiration, 10 to 1 v. Wild Olive, 14 to 1 v. Vanity or any other. Vanity won by a length from Inspiration, who beat Telegraph by four lengths for second place; Tarroon was fourth, and was succeeded by Horizon, Wild Olive, and Red Rose, while Sovereign was the last to get home. Time, 1 minute 19½ seconds.

V.A.T.C. SEPTEMBER MEETING.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The September meeting of the V.A.T.C. was held at Caulfield yesterday. The weather was dull and threatening, but the attendance was well up to the average and the sport interesting.

The following are the details:—

TWO-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP, 4½ furlongs.—Mr. S. G. Cook's The Officer, 8st (Holmes), 1; Mr. Paterson's Norroy, 8st 4lb (Poole), 2; Mr. Grice's Lightning, 7st 10lb. Betting: 5 to 4 v. Rask, 2 to 1 v. The Officer, 10 to 1 v. Norroy and Hebron, 12 to 1 v. Lightning. Shortly after the order to go had been given, Rask went to the front and led round the turn from Campaign, Dux, Hebron, and (R. Lewis), 3. The favourite was all out at the distance, The Officer eventually winning comfortably by a length and a half, half a length between second and third, Rask close up fourth, Bouvardia fifth, and Buska last. Time, 46¼ seconds.

HANDICAP HURDLE RACE, 1 mile and 5 furlongs.—Mr. Howie's Algebra, 10st 3lb (H. Howie), 1; Mr. Miller's Ripple, 11st 5lb (Robertson), 2; Mr. Wilson's Kangaroo II., 9st 10lb (J. Cripps), 3. Algebra drew out at the distance and won by three-parts of a length from Ripple, who finished fast on the rails. Kangaroo was a length off third, Rosestem fourth, The Hero fifth, Corncrake sixth, Monkey seventh, and Fire King last. Time, 3 minutes 9 seconds.

ARMADALE HANDICAP, 1 mile.—Mr. Turnbull's Eiridsforde, 8st 7lb (Holmes), 1; Mr. Griffith's Malula, 7st 12lb (Thomas), 2; Mr. Gollan's The Possible, 8st 1lb (W. Morrison), 3. Other starters: Devon, 9st 5lb (Darby); Bruin, 8st 2lb (H. Cripps); Brilliant, 8st (J. Morrison); J5, 8st 12lb (W. Thomas); Bonnie Scotland, 8st 8lb (Fraser); Alpine, 8st 4lb (J. Anwin); King Orry, 8st 1lb (O'Brien); War Dance 8st (Adams); Miraculeux, 7st 10lb (Swan); Duhallow, 7st 7lb (Shaw); Marshal Ney, 7st 8lb (Murray); Moscow, 7st 6lb (R. Walker); Taurus, 7st 6lb (W. Osborne); John S., 7st 3lb (Carson); Strahan, 7st 2lb (Stevenson); The Merry Girl, 7st (R. Lewis); St. David, 6st 13lb (Hogan); Mischief, 6st 10lb (H. Thompson); Crest, 6st 10lb (Pearson); Cobalt, 6st 8lb (H. Morrison). Betting: 4 to 1 v. St. David, 5 to 1 v. Duhallow, 8 to 1 v. The Possible, 10 to 1 v. Eiridsforde and Cobalt, 12 to 1 v. The Merry Girl, Malula, and Strahan, 14 to 1 v. Moscow. Duhallow went to the front when rounding the turn, having Crest, Cobalt, The Possible, and Eiridsforde as his nearest attendants. Cobalt led into the straight from Eiridsforde, Malula, and The Possible; but Eiridsforde shot out below the distance, and won easily by three lengths from Malula, who was half a length in front of The Possible. Miraculeux was fourth, John S. fifth, Duhallow sixth, and then came Moscow, Alpine, Taurus, Cobalt, and Strahan, while the last two were War Dance and Marshal Ney. Time, 1 minute 45¾ seconds. St. David reared up after turning into the straight and threw the rider, who had one of his thighs broken.

HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE, about 2 miles.—Mr. Russell's Romance, 9st 7lb (Carson), 1; Mr. Glasscock's Mon Ami, 12st 4lb (Cameron), 2; Mr. Robertson's Songster, 10st 6lb (A. Williams), 3. Other starters: Floater, 13st 1lb (J. Smith); Pyramid, 11st (H. Howie); Tayforth, 10st 10lb (Malone); Orient, 10st 7lb (J. S. Edge); Circassian King, 9st (Clifton); Stockwell, 9st (Johnson). Betting: 6 to 4 v. Floater, 9 to 2 v. Romance, 6 to 1 v. Pyramid, 7 to 4 v. Songster, 8 to 1 v. Mon Ami, 10 to 1 v. others. Romance took command at the last fence, and eventually won in a canter by four lengths from Mon Ami, who was six lengths in front of Songster; Pyramid was fourth, Orient fifth, and Tayforth last. Time, 4 minutes 7¼ seconds. Clifton, the rider of Circassian King, received a severe shaking, but was not otherwise hurt.

SELLING RACE, 5 furlongs.—Mr. Gardiner's Partner, 6st 4lb (R. Lewis), 1; Mr. Yuille's Fairytale, 7st 2lb (H. Thompson), 2; Mr. Phillipson's Fusee, 6st 4lb (James Hayes), 3. Other starters: Ginger (Stevenson), Griddle (O'Leary), Tiny (C. Power), Briton (Carson). Betting: 2 to 1 v. Briton, 4 to 1 v. Partner and Fusee, 7 to 1 v. Griddle and Fairytale. Won easily by a length, with Fusee three-quarters of a length off third, Briton fourth, Griddle fifth, and Ginger last. Time, 1 minute 4¾ seconds.

ROSSTOWN HANDICAP, 5½ furlongs.—Mr. O'Brien's Mainstay, 9st 11lb (Smith), 1; Mr. Cawker's Erl King, 10st 8lb (Holmes), 2; Mr. Hawkins's Bung Bung, 7st 2lb (Daniels), 3. Other starters: Wilton, 9st 12lb (Pearson); Grand Brig, 9st 10lb (Saunders); Tassy, 8st 12lb (Wisby); Gaillardia, 8st 6lb (Swan); Parramatta, 8st 6lb (Darby); Buccaneer, 8st 4lb (Shaw); Mona, 7st 8lb (Anwin); Saddle Up, 7st 6lb (Ling); Moira, 7st 8lb (Stevenson); Bacchus, 6st 7lb (Master W. Leek); Woodlands, 6st 7lb (Lees); Deloraine, 6st 7lb (Carson). Betting: 7 to 4 v. Mainstay, 6 to 1 v. Erl King, Bung Bung, Wilton, and Grand Brig, 10 to 1 v. others. Won by two lengths, with Bung Bung a length off third, Wilton fourth, Tassy fifth, Parramatta sixth, and Mona last. Time, 1 minute 8½ seconds.

S.A.J.C. SPRING MEETING.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

The S.A.J. Club meeting was concluded at Morphettville this afternoon. There was a large attendance, the weather was perfect, and the racing interesting. The results of the principal races were:—

SPRING HANDICAP.—W. Savage's The Imp, 7st (Mathews), 1; W. Blacker's Port Admiral, 10st 9lb (Bolger), 2; A. Bontell's Nackara, 7st 2lb (Willis), 3. Eight others started. Amount on the totalisator, £1805; dividend, £21 2s. A splendid race was won by a head, with a head between second and third. Monastery, Kirkby, and Birkegate were in a line for fourth, with Fairfield last. Time, 2 minutes 16 seconds.

STEEPLECHASE.—Bott's All Fours, 11st 12lb (Tillett), 1; T. Barrett's Doris, 9st 12lb (Joskin), 2; W. M'Gregor's Coral, 9st 12lb (M'Gregor), 3. Other starters: Actress, Confidence, Sneaker, Kingfish, Juliet, Repetition. Amount on the totalisator, £1937 10s; dividend, £6 12s. All Fours, who was always prominent, won by ten lengths, two lengths between second and third, Sneaker was fourth, and Confidence fifth. Actress and Repetition fell. Juliet ran off. Time, 7 minutes 2¼ seconds.

PLYMPTON HANDICAP.—A. H. Comley's Fortunate, 7st 3lb (Willis), 1; T. Kirby's Birkegate, 8st 9lb (Hill), 2; W. Blacker's Port Admiral, 9st 10lb (Bolger), 3. Ten others started. Amount on the totalisator, £1780; dividend, £21 16s. Won easily by 3 lengths, with 1½ between second and third. Time, 1 minute 31 1-5 seconds.

WAGGA RACES.

WAGGA, Sunday.

The show race meeting on Saturday was well attended, the weather fine, and the course in good order. The racing was excellent. The results were:—

HURDLE RACE.—Killarney, 1; Wave, 2; Lucy, 3.

TRIAL STAKES.—Blitz, 1; M'Liss, 2; Stonehenge, 3.

SHOW HANDICAP.—Austin, 1; Roebuck, 2; Kinderspiel, 3.

HUNTER STEEPLECHASE.—Fairfield, 1; Take Off, 2. In this race five horses fell, and only two finished.

LILLIE BRIDGE RACES.

A mixed programme of foot and pony racing was run through at Lillie Bridge on Saturday evening in the presence of a fair attendance, and with the following results:—

NOVICE HANDICAP, 75 yards.—Heat winners: P. B. Rush, 5½ yards; G. Wareham, 2; V. Wholohan, 3; W. Rogencamp, 1. Final heat: Rush, *; Rogencamp, *. Betting: Even money on Rush and Rogencamp, 4 to 1 v. others. Run-off: Rush, 1; Rogencamp, 2. Betting: 3 to 1 on Rush.

PONY HANDICAP (13.0 to 13.½), 3 furlongs.—T. Brown's Little Jimmy, 8st 1lb, 1. Six started. Betting: 2 to 1 v. Patience and Jenny Sly, 3 to 1 v. La Tosca, 5 to 1 v. others. Won by half a length.

BRIDGE HANDICAP (13.2 to 13.2½), 5 furlongs.—W. Ring's Carmenia, 11st 4lb, 1. Seven started. Betting: 6 to 4 v. Miss Pearl and Nana, 3 to 1 v. Carmenia, 6 to 1 v. others. Won by half a length.

The following weights have been declared for the September Handicap of 40 sovs., for ponies 13.1 to 14.3, to be run this afternoon:—

First Heat.—Murmur, 11st 12lb; Patience, 10st 9lb; Fern, 10st 1lb; Steiladean, 9st 2lb; Royal Oak, 9st 2lb; Dorothy, 8st 2lb; La Tosca, 7st 4lb; Little Jem, 7st 4lb; Taree, 7st.

Second Heat.—Carmenia, 11st 4lb; My Love, 9st 8lb; Nana, 8st 12lb; Peacemaker, 8st 10lb; Yanna, 8st; Beauty, 7st 6lb; Persal, 7st 3lb; Nutmeg, 7st 2lb; G.H., 7st.

Third Heat.—Black Swan, 12st 10lb; Moss Rose, 10st 7lb; Dora, 9st 10lb; Edith, 9st 8lb; Infelice, 9st 8lb; Raven, 9st 4lb; Essie, 9st 2lb; Tramcar, 9st 2lb; Sea Shell, 8st 10lb; Xantippe, 8st 8lb; Phiz, 8st 6lb.

Fourth Heat.—Autocrat, 12st 2lb; Tanonee, 12st; Discard, 10st 12lb; Meter, 10st; Harmony, 10st 2lb; Acorn, 9st 12lb; Here's Luck, 9st 12lb, Lady Ripple, 9st 8lb; Lady Agnes, 9st 4lb; Queenlike, 8st 12lb.

First and second in each heat to start in final.

FOOTBALL.

The final match in the Rugby senior competitions was played between Randwick and Wallaroo on the Agricultural Society's Ground on Saturday, for the society's trophies, the result being a win for Randwick by 13 points to 8. On the previous Saturday these clubs played a draw, neither side being able to score in a bitterly contested and not too friendly game. On the present occasion, however, Randwick won decisively. The goal kicking was a remarkable feature in the game, the Randwick score including a goal off a mark, and two from penalties, all kicked by Barrie, while Wallaroo also got a goal off a penalty. Thus, out of a total of 21 points scored in the whole game, 13 were scored off field goals. A curious coincidence was the fact that in each game the ball burst. The result of Saturday's play leaves very little to add to what appeared regarding the season's play in Wednesday's *Herald*. The Randwicks take the premiership and the Agricultural Society's trophies, and University the Sydney Cricket Ground cup. Amongst the juniors Willoughby win the first junior competition, and Woollahra the second. The Agricultural Society's trophies in the latter class will go to Paddington Borough, the runners up. The fourth junior competition was won by Redfern Waratah. The third junior competition is not yet finished, the clubs left in being Balmain Junior and Federal. The following is the full list of matches, with results, played by the Randwicks:—Beat Balmain by 28 to 0; a bye; beat Wentworth by 12 to 0; beat Paddington by 17 to 0; beat Wallaroo by 9 to 3; beat Pirate by 14 to 0; beaten by Pirate by 4 to 0; beat Wentworth by 8 to 0; beat Pirate by 20 to 0; beat Wallaroo by 13 to 8; matches played (including bye), 10; won, 9 (bye counting as win); lost, 1; points scored, 121; points against, 15.

The following matches were played on Saturday:—

Randwick and Wallaroo met in the final match for the Agricultural Society's trophies on the society's ground, and Randwick won by 13 points to 8. The following were the teams:—Randwick: Full-back, M'Mahon; three-quarters, Parish, Whiteside, and Wynn; halves, Barrie and Crowell; forwards, Henlen, Hadwin, Tanner, Brooks, Siee, A. Fraser, J. Fraser, A. Scott, and Malone. Wallaroo: Full-back, Gardiner; three-quarters, Shortus, L. Wickham, and S. Wickham; halves, Manchee and Roberts; forwards, Arthur Scott, Webb, Alcock, Woods, M'Murdo, Lyall, E. Stronge, Lane, and Colls. Randwick won the toss, and decided to defend the eastern goal with a breeze in their favour. Webb kicked off, and a long kick by Parish went out in the Wallaroo 25, but Randwicks were too eager, and when they had dribbled the ball to the front were penalised for off-side. They came again, however, and for a while their full-back was on the Wallaroo side of the half-way. Another kick by Parish proved serviceable, but Wallaroo cleared their territory, and worked the play back in fast rushes to the half-way. Gardiner failed to mark in front off a long shot, and Randwick following up fast, dribbled over. Manchee tried to touch down, but fell, and Wallaroo were in a critical position, with Hadwin and Siee close at hand, but S. Wickham came when wanted, and kicked the ball dead to the fence. A grubbing kick sent the ball out only a yard from the Wallaroo line, but Roberts, taking a pass, darted through the broken pack, beat M'Mahon, and feinted his way beyond the half-way before he was pulled down. S. Wickham went on a little further, and the ball burst as it had done in the first match, necessitating a slight delay. On resuming, a free was given against Wallaroo, about 40 yards from goal, and Barrie, taking the shot, dropped a fine goal. Wallaroo attacked very strongly from the kick-off, and some warm scrimmaging followed on the Randwick line, but the ball was finally kicked over, and Randwick secured the force. Woods kicked well along the wing, and Wallaroo were again in their opponents' territory. The ball was kicked over, and Roberts, following in very fast, just managed to score the try without picking up. S. Wickham took the shot, and scored an easy goal. No sooner had play started than Henlen took a fair catch off a knock-on close to the touch line and 40 yards from goal. Barrie took the shot and sent the ball fairly over the bar. Half-time was then called, Randwick leading by 7 points to 5. On resuming, J. Fraser kicked off, and Whiteside went back with a good run on the wing. His return was fumbled, and went out in the Wallaroo 25, and in the ensuing scrimmages Wallaroo were penalised right in front. Barrie was entrusted with the shot and scored. Wallaroo came out strongly from the kick-off, and Randwicks were penalised outside their 25, close to the boundary. S. Wickham took the shot, which did not look a hopeful one, but with a high kick he sent the ball fair over the bar. Lane made a telling run down the centre, but M'Mahon came out and took him. Randwick scrimmaged the ball back into the corner, where Hadwin secured it and got over. The shot for goal was not successful. Manchee ran the ball to the Randwick 25, and S. Wickham feinted his way a little closer, but Randwicks came out and carried the play right on to the Wallaroo line. Wynn ran across to the opposite wing, where S. Wickham took him, and back came the ball to the Randwick end. A long dribbling kick at length sent it over, and M'Mahon forced. S. Wickham had a shot for goal off a mark on the wing, but it fell short. Lane and Roberts made a dash for the Randwick line, but could not negotiate the last half-dozen yards, and Randwick forced the play back to their own 25, but a long kick came over their line, and M'Mahon forced. Lane made a determined rush for the Randwick line, but M'Mahon took him, and a second time M'Mahon got the ball cleverly away when several of the Wallaroos were in front of him, the whistle sounding shortly afterwards at no side. Mr. Miller was referee.

SECOND JUNIOR.

Woollahra and Paddington Junior played the final match in the second junior competition at the Agricultural Society's Ground, and Woollahra won by 3 points to 0, Beveridge scoring a try in the first half.

THIRD JUNIOR.

Balmain Junior beat Homebush in the third junior semi-final round by 17 points to 0.

Federal beat Oriental in the third junior semi-final round by 14 points to 0.

FOURTH JUNIOR.

Redfern Waratah beat Newtown Cambridge in the fourth junior final by 11 points to 3. Redfern kicked off with the wind, and at once made an attack which, after a bit of excellent passing, proved successful, Brown, on the left wing, crossing the line. The attempt at goal proved unsuccessful. Redfern then worked the ball up the hill into their opponents' 25, but Conlon, by a splendid kick, sent it back to the Newtown line, and following it up, secured a try, amid loud cheering from the Redfern supporters. He also converted it into a goal. The half-time whistle sounded shortly afterwards. In the second half Newtown made a determined effort to equalise the score, and forced their opponents almost as soon as play was resumed; but Duggan relieved, and with a spirited dash crossed the line, no goal resulting. The ball was then kicked over the Redferns' back line, and Slater got past the full-back and scored for Newtown. His attempt at goal went wide of the mark. Give and take play followed, until two of the Newtown players by means of an excellent bit of passing grounded the ball between the posts, but it was recalled, on the grounds that the ball had been taken off-side. No further score resulted, and the whistle sounded, leaving Redfern Waratahs winners of the badges.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION RULES.

A match between Probables and Improbables, and won by the Probables by 3 goals to 0, took place on the University Oval on Saturday for the purpose of assisting the association to select from the players a team to proceed to Newcastle to represent the association in a return match against the Northern districts, to be played on the Newcastle Cricket Ground next Saturday. The following were the teams:—Probables: A. Stephen, A. Tomb, J. Gibson, Thornburn, Johnson, Morgan, Phillips, White, and Muir. Improbables: O'Connell, Banner, Hunter, J. Train, J. Ferguson, A. Ferguson, Watson, Hardie, M'Menemy, Keogh, and Hargreaves. The Probables, owing to the absence of Gannon, through his taking part in a fixture by his club against Mittagong, were compelled to play a man short. Martin won the toss from J. Ferguson, and elected to kick from the southern end, having the wind in his favour. M'Menemy kicked off, and soon the ball was worked into a position in front of the Probables' goal. Hargreaves put in two or three shots in quick succession, but failed to get within the net, Tomb and Stephen being well on the defence. Play was then taken to mid-field, where it remained for some time, Tomb, Thornburn, and Gibson for the Probables, and Ferguson Brothers, Train, and Banner for Improbables doing some good work. The ball by means of a bit of good passing on part of White, Martin, Morgan, and Muir was worked down to the front of Improbable's goal, where Morgan by an excellent shot scored for his side. Give and take play followed from this point until half-time was reached. On the ends being changed the Probables pressed hard and worked together well, and several attacks were made at their opponent's goal; however, the goal-keeper was equal to the occasion, and with the assistance of the back players warded off the attacks. Muir at last managed to break through, and beating O'Connell scored second goal for the Probables. Give and take play followed for a few minutes in front of the Improbable's goal, where White by means of a clean, low shot, almost on the ground, scored third goal for the Probables. The ball was then taken to mid-field, where it remained until time was called, leaving the Probables winners by 3 goals to 0.

Later in the evening the following players were selected as the team to proceed to Newcastle:—Goal-keeper, G. O'Connell; backs, A. Thomb and J. Gibson; half-backs, R. Thorburn, W. Johnson, and R. Gannon; forwards, H. Muir and J. Martin (right wing), C. White (centre), A. Morgan and Gibson (left wing). Emergencies, J. Kidd, R. Fox, and G. Whitmarsh.

Young Pyrmont Rangers beat Young Carltons by 10 goals to 1, the scorers being—Williscroft, Paul, Hicks (2), Meloy (2), Beaser (2), Duval, and Stack.

The Pyrmont Rosebuds beat Olivettes at Pyrmont by 3 goals to 1. For the winners the following scored goals.—J. Gourlay, J. Ward, and A. Johnston; and for the losers, J. Keogh.

Native Rose beat Pyrmont Carlton on the University Oval by 2 goals to 1. Cogle and Pattern scored for the winners, and J. Ward for the losers.

All Saints' College played their return match with the King's School on the Agricultural Ground, and the King's School won easily by 19 points to 0. Mr. Sefton once more showed his interest in school football by acting as referee.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

The football match Canterbury *versus* Otago, which was played yesterday, was won by the latter by 13 points to 11.

BATHURST, Saturday.

A football match in connection with the semi-final junior competition was played yesterday between Forbes and St. Stanislaus' College. The former won by 3 points to 0. To-day the winners met Lithgow in the final, and were beaten by 6 points to 0. This leaves Lithgow winners of the first junior competition.

BALLINA, Saturday.

The football match for the premiership of the Richmond River was played here this afternoon between the Lismore and Ballina teams, and was won by the latter, after an exciting contest, by 6 points to 3.

CAMDEN, Saturday.

The Campbelltown junior footballers defeated the Camden Infant footballers to-day.

EAST MAITLAND, Saturday.

Sydney High School v. East Maitland High School.—The above teams met at East Maitland yesterday afternoon, a fast and open game resulting in a win for the Maitland team by 15 points to 8. For the Easts the tries were secured by Arnott (2), Peake (2), and Geddes (1); while for Sydney Teece secured both tries, Snedden converting one into a goal. After the match the visitors were entertained by the local team, and left for Sydney by the 7 o'clock train.

GOULBURN, Saturday.

This afternoon the Metropolitan Junior footballers played a combined Union team, the former winning by 13 points to 6. Touches were obtained by Reid, Ireland, and Maloney. Off the lastnamed Slade kicked a goal. The Warrigals, of Goulburn, beat Pirates, of Gullen, by 13 to 0.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The football matches played yesterday resulted as follows:—Geelong, 4 goals 9 behinds, beat Melbourne, 3 goals 7 behinds; Footscray, 7 goals 3 behinds, beat South Melbourne, 3 goals 3 behinds; Williamstown, 6 goals 5 behinds, beat Port Melbourne, 3 goals 4 behinds; North Melbourne, 9 goals 7 behinds, beat St. Kilda, 4 goals 4 behinds; Richmond, 5 goals 6 behinds, beat Carlton, 4 goals 8 behinds; and Essendon, 5 goals 7 behinds, played a drawn game with Fitzroy, 5 goals 5 behinds.

THE SYDNEY BICYCLE CLUB'S SPORTS MEETING.

The fourteenth annual sports meeting of the Sydney Bicycle Club was held on the Sydney Cricket Ground on Saturday afternoon, in the presence of about 3000 people. With a day almost perfect for racing, and a track faster than it has been for some years—in fact, the dry weather had so hardened the ground that it was nearly as fast as cinders—the club had everything in its favour. Yet the racing was hardly up to first-class form. Macdonald, who by a splendid performance in the five miles championship, in which, according to official time he broke the record by 19 seconds, showed himself entitled to be placed in the first rank of Australian cyclists, and Cameron, the Redfern champion, were the only two who stood out prominently. The champion was paced by Robinson and W. Wally Kerr on a tandem, and it was owing to their efforts that the race was made interesting. The mile open foot race was won by Corner off scratch from Holden on 45 yards. An interesting feature of the afternoon's sport was the gymnastic exhibition by members of the Y.M.C.A. Gymnasium, under the leadership of Mr. Renshaw. Altogether three displays were given, and the skill and ability shown by the performers called forth loud cheers from all present. Appended are the results:—

One Mile Open Handicap Roadster Bicycle Race.—First heat (first three and fastest fourth to start in final): F. Be Shenstone, Redfern B.C., 32lb, 70 yards, 1; G. S. Graham, Sydney B.C., 32lb, 60, 2; E. A. Spier, Redfern B.C., 32lb, 50, 3; A. Volbrecht, Redfern B.C., 32lb, 40, 4. Other starters: G. A. Lewis, Redfern B.C., 35lb, scratch; C. H. New, Redfern B.C., 33lb, 25 yards; W. D. Johnstone, N.S.W.C.U., 33lb, 40. Time, 2 minutes 38 seconds. Won by 18 inches. Second heat: A. W. Barton, Crusaders' B.C., 34lb, 40 yards, 1; J. D. Starkey, Redfern B.C., 32lb, 70, 2; W. J. Petty, Redfern B.C., 34lb, 35, 3. Other starter: H. Paul, Sydney B.C., 34lb, 40. Time, 2 minutes 47 4-5 seconds. Won by a length. Final heat: F. Shenstone, Redfern B.C., 70 yards, 1; E. A. Spier, Redfern B.C., 50, 2; G. S. Graham, Sydney B.C., 60, 3. Time, 2 minutes 40 1-5 seconds. At the half-mile Graham was leading, with Shenstone second, and Spier third. Passing the scoring-board in the third lap Shenstone made his run. He was never afterwards caught, and won comfortably by 15 yards. Spier and Graham made a race for second place, the former being successful by half a machine's length.

100 Yards Handicap Foot Race.—First heat: W. J. Milton, Darlinghurst Harriers, 7 yards, 1. Time, 10½ seconds. Second heat: E. M. Connell, Sydney Harriers, 5½ yards, 1. Time, 10 3-5 seconds. Third heat: T. W. Crawley, Sydney Harriers, 8½ yards, 1. Time, 10 3-5 seconds. Fourth heat: A. Curtis, University A.C., 4½ yards, 1. Time, 10 2-5 seconds. Fifth heat: G. E. Jordan, Sydney Harriers, 4½ yards, 1. Time, 10 2-5 seconds. Final heat: T. W. Crawley, S.H., 8½ yards, 1; W. J. Milton, D.H., 7, 2; E. M. Connell, S.H., 5½, 3. Time, 10 3-10 seconds.

Half-mile Open Handicap Bicycle Race.—A. Hudson, Redfern B.C., 50 yards, 1; A. E. Yeend, Suburban B.C., 50 yards, 2; J. R. Gunning, 60 yards, 3. Other starters: G. F. Andrew, Redfern B.C., 50 yards; A. C. Larkin, Redfern B.C., 45; J. Hunter, Redfern B.C., 45; P. Dowd, Queensland, 40; G. A. Lewis, Redfern B.C., 25; W. Doyle, Crusaders B.C., 50. Time, 1 minute 7 seconds. Before the first lap had finished both Hudson and Yeend had overtaken the limit man, Gunning, and when the bell went Yeend was on Hudson's back wheel. Opposite the scoring-board Yeend rushed up to Hudson; but he was too early, and the Redfern man, coming with a well-judged spurt in the last 100 yards, won comfortably by over a machine's length.

Five Miles Championship of New South Wales (W. L. Kerr and W. J. Robinson paced on the tandem).—A. B. Macdonald, Sydney B.C., 1; J. C. Cameron, Redfern B.C., 2; E. C. Griffith, Redfern B.C., 3; L. Berlyn, Sydney B.C., 0; T. Fitzpatrick, Suburban B.C., 0; A. E. Wearing, Redfern B.C., 0. Time, 12 minutes 56 4-5 seconds. The tandem took the men along at a great pace from the jump, but the competitors seemed to be afraid of the double machine, and for the first mile hung too far behind it to get much advantage from the pacing. Passing the scoring-board Fitzpatrick and Cameron raced to the front, and as the field passed the lawn-tennis ground Macdonald was seen making a desperate effort to get to the tandem. In the second lap he got into first position, with Cameron and Griffith close up, while Wearing was fourth, and Berlyn and Fitzpatrick were last. At the end of the mile Macdonald got confidence in the tandem, and, rushing to its back wheel, obtained full advantage of its pacing. Now the speed had begun to tell on the rear men, and in the fifth lap Berlyn was fully 100 yards behind the tandem, and Griffith and Wearing, who were on terms, were about half that distance nearer to it. At the two miles it was apparent that the championship lay with Macdonald or Cameron, who were both hanging to the pacer. It was not till the eighteenth lap that the officials woke up and put a single on to take Cameron along, but he was then nearly three-quarters of a lap behind, and as there only remained two more laps to go the action was worse than useless. Macdonald won by all out three-quarters of a lap from Cameron and a lap and a half from Griffith, who was third. The times were:—1 mile, 2 minutes 33 seconds; 2 miles, 5 minutes 4 3-5 seconds; 3 miles, 7 minutes 49 seconds; 4 miles, 10 minutes 18 4-5 seconds; 5 miles, 12 minutes 56 4-5 seconds.

Two Miles Inter-Club Team Race, the team securing the least number of points to be declared the winner; three prizes, and a prize to the first man home, provided he is not a member of the winning team.—Sydney Bicycle Club—A. B. Macdonald (2), W. C. Barratt (3), L. Berlyn (4)—9 points, 1; Redfern Bicycle Club—J. C. Cameron (1), A. E. Wearing (10), E. C. Griffith (5)—16 points, 2; Suburban Bicycle Club—T. Fitzpatrick (8), J. G. Holdsworth (6)—26 points, 0; Crusaders' Cycling Club—A. J. Barton (7), W. Doyle (9)—28 points, 0. As soon as they had got going, Macdonald went to the front and put a gap between himself and the nearest man, but the men soon bunched again, and at the finish of the lap Macdonald held the lead, closely followed by Berlyn and Holdsworth. At the back of the course, in the second lap, Holdsworth took up the pace and held the premier position for five laps, the other places varying between Macdonald, Berlyn, and Cameron. At the end of the mile Wearing punctured and retired, and further on Doyle, of the Crusaders, retired. At the back of the course in the seventh lap Macdonald dashed out, with Cameron close up, and as the bell went for the final Cameron dashed to the front. Both Sydney and Redfern men pedalled for all they were worth, but the five miles had told on Macdonald, and after vainly trying to get up level with Cameron, he eased off in the last few yards, allowing the Redfern representative to win by half a dozen yards.

One Mile Handicap Footrace, four times round.—E. E. Corner, Sydney Harriers, scratch, 1; H. C. Holden, 45 yards, 2; C. A. Oliffe, Darlinghurst Harriers, 120, 3. Time, 4 minutes 31 2-5 seconds. When the pistol went Biggs rushed off at a great rate. His companion on scratch, Corner, took matters more quietly, although at the end of the first lap the two were again close together. Passing the judge for the first time Chandler, the limit man, held the lead, with Roper second and Oliffe third. In the second lap Corner improved his position, and at the half mile, where Biggs gave up, he had gone up 12 places from his position in the first lap. Buckham left the second time round, Chandler having fallen back to second place, with Roper third, and Oliffe fourth. Approaching the threequarter mile Oliffe took up the running, while Corner was eighth. Then, as the bell went, the scratch man put the pace on, and catching Holden, who had assumed premier position at the lawn tennis ground, a great race home resulted, Corner winning by 2ft.

Three Miles open Handicap Bicycle Race, for the Ladies' Bracelets.—A. R. Shilling, Redfern B.C., 180 yards, 1; P. Dowd, Queensland, 230, 2; A. C. Larkin, Redfern B.C., 270, 3. In the last lap Shilling spurted at the half distance, and passing Larkin won all out by 6 yards, Dowd, the Queenslander, beating Larkin on the post.

CYCLING.

A CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The 50-mile bicycle road championship of Victoria was won yesterday by J. W. Parsons, in 3 hours 3 minutes 50½ seconds, beating Carpenter by 18 seconds.

LAWN TENNIS.

The matches for the captaincy of the Ashfield club, which were commenced about a week ago, were continued on Saturday last. The contests are provoking a large amount of interest, which is not confined to members of the club alone. The matches are being played off in rounds.

CRICKET.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BURRAGA, Saturday.

The Burraga Cricket Club has been re-formed, and the following officers have been elected:—Patron, Mr. W. P. Crick, M.L.A.; president, Mr. T. P. Hackney, J.P.; vice-presidents, Mr. L. Lloyd, jun., Dr. Landhorst, Mr. M. J. Clayton, sen., Mr. J. J. Heylen; hon. secretary, Mr. W. Rinkin; treasurer, Mr. J. M'Leay; selection committee, Messrs. E. Morgan, Phillips, and M'Grath.

CANDELO COURSING CLUB.

CANDELO, Saturday.

The Candelo Coursing Club ran off their Champion and Sapling Stakes to-day on their grounds at Kameruka. The weather was fine, the sport good, and the attendance fair. Mr. G. Porter acted as judge, and Mr. A. Champneys as slipper. The following are the results:—

CHAMPION STAKES.—Maid of Athol beat Fitzroy, The Disowned beat Allandale, Happy Day beat Clonkeify, Tambo 2nd a bye. First ties: Maid of Athol beat Disowned, Happy Day beat Tambo 2nd. Deciding course: Mr. J. C. Reid's fawn bitch Maid of Athol, by Bazouk—Yellow Girl, beat Mr. D. C. Wren's black-and-white dog Happy Day, by Happy Jack—Ruby, and won the stake.

SAPLING STAKES.—Lily Admiral beat Billy, The Tripartite beat Sunbeam, Vagrant beat Aileen, Index ran a bye. First ties: Lily Admiral beat Vagrant, The Tripartite beat Index. Deciding course: Mr. J. T. Murphy's black bitch Lily Admiral, by Idiot—Wild Rose, beat Mr. W. B. Brown's black-and-white bitch The Tripartite, by Errant—Signet, and won the stake. A beaten stake was run, and won by Messrs. Payten and Brown's blue dog Fitzroy, by Tambo—Valetta.

AQUATICS.

SYDNEY ROWING CLUB.

On Friday evening, at the invitation of Dr. A. Burne, the vice-president, the committee of the Sydney Rowing Club, and Messrs. John Watson, J. A. Ross (Prince Alfred Yacht Club), Phil. Goatcher, Drs. Knaggs and Halstead, C. Perry, E. Betts, J. Oatley, C. Gardyne, C. Pearson, and Charles Dobson were entertained at dinner at the branch clubhouse, Abbotsford. Dr. Burne, the host, occupied the chair, the vice-chair being occupied by Mr. J. E. H. Kennedy (captain). Mr. John Watson presented the club with a pen-and-ink drawing of the race for the championship of the world between Gaudaur and Beach on the River Thames, England. The thanks of the members were conveyed to Mr. Watson for his donation. After a little music most of those present returned to town by the 10 o'clock boat.

GLEBE ROWING CLUB.

On Saturday afternoon in connection with the Glebe Rowing Club a handicap skiff race for a pair of sculls presented by Mr. Mark Stephenson, took place over a course from the head of Johnstone's Bay to the club sheds, a distance of 1 mile. The race was confined to members of the club only. There were nine starters, and the race was rowed in three heats. The final resulted as follows:—W. Jenkins, 45 seconds, 1; E. J. O'Connor, 35 seconds, 2; J. Clark, 70 seconds, 3. Jenkins after a close race won by four lengths.

SWIMMING.

A well-attended meeting was held at Basche's York Hotel, corner of King and York streets, on Wednesday evening last for the purpose of forming a warehousemen's swimming club. Mr. R. A. Vallack, presided. The chairman, in addressing the meeting, remarked that this meeting was being held for the promotion of a good and useful object amongst the warehouses of Sydney. He thought that it was a matter which would receive good support, both from the heads of the various firms and their employees. The following office-bearers were elected:—Patron, Mr. R. G. Vallack, sen.; president, Mr. D. Storey; vice-presidents, Messrs. A. Anderson, J. B. Hillier, F. Lassetter, S. Young, W. M'Millan, F. W. Stoddart, F. Sargood, Hunter, C. Zeigler, T. H. Boesen, W. M'Murtrie, L. Isaacs, H. Myers, jun., R. A. Vallack, J. Dibble, R. G. Vallack, jun., G. Munroe, J. Scott, J. Brooks, W. L. Spier; hon. secretary and treasurer pro tem, Mr. H. G. Hall. A provisional committee, consisting of Messrs. De Joscelyn, Hellings, Warton, Gillies, Brees, Moore, Carpenter, Hall, Mance, and Lees, was appointed to draw up a code of rules, subject to the approval of the next general meeting.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

A handicap match, open to all-comers, is advertised to take place at the New South Wales Gun Club's Grounds, Botany, on the 18th instant. The first prize will be £100, the second £40, the third £25, and there will be seven others of £5 each. The number of birds will be unlimited. One, two, or three nominations may be made, and entries will close next Saturday. Starring will be allowed.

LECTURE.

The Countess Wachtmeister addressed a meeting at 42 Margaret-street, Sydney, on Sunday evening on "Spiritualism." The Countess said she believed very strongly that there was much that was true in the phenomena of spiritualism. She once had powerful mediumistic tendencies, the discovery of which led her to investigate the phenomena. She said she felt pity, not resentment, for the public mediums who descended to fraud, as too many did, because their efforts when genuine resulted in loss of vitality and psychic and moral power. She had formerly tried to establish a home where genuine mediums could be cared for and relieved of the temptation to fraud which straitened circumstances provided; but the scheme languished and fell through.

THE LAND TAX DEBATE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—While thanking Mr. G. H. Reid for giving me so prominent a place in the above debate, I desire to say that his statement that Mr. Chanter's amendment to exempt municipalities from the land tax had been created by Mr. W. J. Trickett, under the auspices of the National Association, is utterly untrue, and I defy him to prove it. I am not, and never have been, a member of the National Association, do not even know its secretary, and have not been spoken to on this subject by or on behalf of any member of the association, nor did I know of Mr. Chanter's or any such amendment until I saw it in yesterday's *Herald*.

For many years I have been, like Mr. Reid, a strong supporter of municipal lands being fairly dealt with in any land tax legislation, and, as an alderman of one of our largest suburban boroughs for the past 18 years, my opinion in that respect has been strengthened and frequently urged. At the proper time and place I hope to give good and valid reasons for adhering to my principles and contentions against doubly taxing a large portion of the population, and shall then be greatly aided by Mr. Reid's own utterances in the same direction.

I am, &c.,
September 7. W. J. TRICKETT.

THE DROUGHT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The unusually long spell of dry westerly winds appears to be coming to an end, and with the advent of the spring months we may expect the usual changes in the weather which occur at the Vernal Equinox on 21st instant. It would be interesting to hear from the Government Astronomer, through your columns, whether the past records at the Observatory afford any hope of a break-up of the disastrous drought at this season.

In yesterday's weather reports heavy rains have fallen in South Australia and Victoria, which circumstance encourages the hope that similar visitations are not far off for our own colony.

I am, &c.,
September 6. EQUINOX.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—September 7.

H.M.S. Orlando, 12 guns, twin screw cruiser, first-class, armoured 5600 tons, 5500 indicated horse-power natural draught, 8500 forced draught, flagship of Rear-Admiral Cyprian A. G. Bridge, captain F. W. Fisher, commander A. W. Carter, from a cruise to the Line Islands, Tonga, Samoa, Fiji, New Guinea, and New Caledonia, via Queensland.

Hubbuck (s.), 2740 tons, Captain F. T. Blower, from South Africa, in ballast. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents.

Sydney (s.), 634 tons, Captain Thompson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S. S. Company, Limited, agents.

Glanworth (s.), 877 tons, Captain W. Knight, from Brisbane. Passengers—Miss Hyde, Miss Bevington, Miss Weston, Mrs. Branch and child, Mrs. Munro Smith, Mrs. E. Philips, Messrs. Brennan, Waugh, Davis, Macpherson, Matherson, Rev. S. Ryan, and 19 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Fernmount (s.), 290 tons, Captain S. Boulden, from Richmond River 5th September. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Electra (s.), 389 tons, Captain E. Farrell, from Manning River 7th September. Passengers—Mesdames Paulson, Wynter, Laing, Misses Laing, Henley, Kennedy, Ferris, Messrs. Kennedy, Wilson, M'Neil, Ferris, C. M'Donell, J. E. Chapman, Melliday, J. T. Allen, T. F. Lobban, 6 in the fore cabin. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Cairnbulg, barque, 1567 tons, Captain Sibley, from Port Pirie 25th August. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., agents.

September 8.

R.M.S. Ormuz, 6031 tons (Orient line), Captain F. M. Tuke, R.N.R., from London 26th July, Plymouth 27th July, via ports. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. R. Brough, Rev. J. B. Cahill, Rev. W. F. Claffy, Mr. A. W. Figg, R.N., Mr. Myles Birkett Foster, Mr. M. Green, Rev. L. Murphy, Mrs. Riley, Miss M. Tomlinson, Mr. F. Travers, Mr. R. M. Tyler, Miss N. Aiken, Miss Alting, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bennett and child, Mrs. E. Bradley, Mr. C. H. Brown, Mrs. Colyer, Mr. E. L. Fisher, Mr. H. Glenny, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holliman, Mr. W. S. Hyslop, Messrs. Luxmore (2), Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Marshall and child, Miss K. E. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bickerton, Mr. A. Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. Philo and child, Miss Pulver, Rev. H. Rafferty, Miss Rigby, Mr. J. L. Thompson, Mr. T. B. Thompson, Mr. F. Trescott, Mr. Tyler, jun. From Colombo: Colonel and Mrs. Kilpour, Mr. T. Pearse, Mr. A. R. Canning, Mr. J. Green. From Albany: Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson and infant, Mrs. Strettfield Strettle and son. From Melbourne: Mr. A. J. M'Conachie, Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. J. Mason, Mr. T. S. Harrison, and 3 in the second saloon. John Bell, agent.

Namoi (s.), 1414 tons, Captain Skinner, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

Hawkes Bay (s.) (Tyser line), 4683 tons, Captain J. C. Felgate, from London 11th July, via ports. H. C. Benson, manager in Australia.

Tomki (s.), 598 tons, Captain H. Jackson, from Richmond River 7th September. Passengers—Mrs. Arnott, Miss Fagan, Messrs. Arnott, Barrie, Pashley, Hitchins, Peers, Northcott, Martin, Harrison, and 2 steerage. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Bega (s.), 555 tons, Captain W. O. Hersee, from Eden and ports. Passengers—Mesdames Anderson, Shelly, Bell, and Kelly, Misses Brown, Baldwin, Noonan, and Bell, Messrs. P. J. Ward, Charlesworth, Davies, A. J. Ward, Shead, Martin, Hobbs, Timbs, Fisher, and 9 in the steerage. Illawarra S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Rosedale (s.), 274 tons, Captain L. Paulson, from Nambucca River and Port Macquarie. Passengers—Mr. Hagon, Mr. M'Donnell, Mrs. Hagon, Misses Hagon (2). Illawarra S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Oonah (s.) 1757 tons, Captain Featherstone, from Hobart. Passengers—Mesdames W. T. Crick, Hedberg, Calder, Furser and infant, C. J. Barclay, Syme, Drake, Leake, Flower, M'Intyre, Redfern, Misses Williams, Watson, Russell, Gelrian, Drake, Challender, B. Crick, Captain Folder, Messrs. Geo. Kellaway, W. T. Crick, W. Best, J. G. Shield, Anderson, H. C. Clarke, Greenstreet, Magrath, W. G. Andrewartha, W. Crosby, Drake, M'Intyre, Masters, A. Redfern, A. T. Crick, S. E. Crick, S. S. Crick, and 28 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain W. Hammer, from Melbourne 5th September. Passengers—Mesdames Rock, Richards, Hardwick, Darcy, Clark and child, Murphy, Misses Davis, Marrage, Bain, M'Carlie, Darcy, Ryan, Weeks, Messrs. Anderson, Budd, Phillips, Cook, Feather, Matthews, Roxby, Easton, Rock, Richards, Shea, Heales, King, Hantrune, Budrun, Gleeson, Sorenson, Weir, Chard, Wilson, Bunbridge, Simpson, Russell, Merritt, Thorn, Cotterill, Hammond, Ross, Duncan, Sullivan, one Marist Brother, and 63 in the steerage. Wm. Howard Smith and Son, Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—September 7.

Powderham (s.), for London, via ports.
Maori (s.), for London.
Glanworth (s.), for Queensland ports.
Maranoa (s.), for Queensland ports.
Tyrian (s.), for Queensland ports.
Leura (s.), for Melbourne ports.
Fiona (s.), for Fiji.
Maori King (s.), for London.
Titus (s.), for Melbourne.

September 8.

Ville de la Ciotat, for Noumea.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—September 9.

Liguria, R.M.S., for London, via ports; Sachsen, German mail steamer, for Bremen, via ports; Illawarra S. N. Company's steamers for Merimbula, Eden, Bermagui, Tathra, and Pambula; Rosedale (s.), for Port Macquarie and Bellinger River; Namoi (s.), for Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—September 7.

Glanworth (s.), 877 tons, Captain W. Knight, for Rockhampton, via ports. Passengers—Miss Fitzgerald, Miss Reid, Miss Valentine, Messrs. W. Thomson, W. Irwin, and 7 steerage.

Maori (s.), 5200 tons, Captain Moffat, for London.

Maori King (s.), 3867 tons, Captain Prisbe, for London, via Wellington.

Fiona (s.), 817 tons, Captain R. H. Smith, for Fiji.

Ville de la Ciotat, 6461 tons, Captain Fiaschi, for Noumea. Passengers—Mr. Freeman, Mr. J. Lindale, Mr. W. S. Tate, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Gubbay, Mr. W. F. Dufty, and original from Marseilles.

Fiado (s.), 985 tons, Captain Paul Baurel, for Noumea, via Newcastle.

Maranoa (s.), 1505 tons, Captain J. Rossiter, for Brisbane and Northern ports. Passengers—Mrs. Rudd, Mrs. Buglar and child, Mrs. W. Hamilton, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Connell, Mrs. Herisby, Mrs. R. H. Rickard, child and infant, Mrs. F. G. Afialo, Miss Frost, Miss Angell, Miss Ritchie, Miss Ritchie, Miss Rose, Miss Tucker, Rev. H. P. Schlencker, Messrs. Monckton, Sylvester, T. D. Herlihy, C. J. Cribb, R. Townsend, L. Lukin, E. Gell, C. Anderson, S. J. Johnson, J. Sangster, F. G. Afialo, C. Waterspoon, W. A. Campbell, Thomas A. Jones, A. F. Cox, R. M'Donald, J. Latimer, L. Warschauer, A. Lister, Morpeth, Lowe, W. H. Walsh, G. E. Kinchush, Master Enwar, and 21 steerage.

Tyrian (s.), 1455 tons, Captain John D. Joy, for Queensland ports. Passengers—Mesdames Sneesum, Nickels, Moore, Clark and child, Bushnell and 3 children, J. W. Smith and 2 children, Punch, Sheuf, Deviney and family, Misses S. Eccle, Kohler, Weeks, Doyle, A. M. Morris, Walters, Marrage, M. J. Griffiths, Sidger, Messrs. J. Govett, Tanssig, King, Wilson, Simpson, Heales, John A. Van Luven, Shea, Weir, Feather, F. Hudson, A. C. Underwood, Deviney, W. Bishop, J. W. Smith, Harry Herman, L. Carroll, Eyre, Lloyd Price, W. E. Oxenford, J. A. Norton, H. R. Marcus, Bushnell, and 85 in the second cabin.

Leura (s.), 1182 tons, Captain James Broadfoot, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames Mather, Durant, Schultz, Prebble, H. J. King and child, Cash, G. B. Henderson, Matthews and child, Osborne, Cameron, A. G. Allen, White, Lloyd, Johnson, Holland and child, Helton and infant, E. J. Jones, Henderson, Buxton, Henderson, Nurse G. A. Brodie, Misses R. West, Mary Fox, Knight, Mather, Corron, Davenport, Hines, Kingston, Lloyd, M'Andrew (2), Jeffs, Buxton, Messrs. E. Robertson, G. Davis, Grocott, Hunter, M. D. Strahan, G. B. Henderson, Cash, Prebble, A. H. Jones, H. J. King, E. J. Phillips, White, Matthews, Buxton, Henderson, R. M. Henderson, Freeman, Wing Mow, Morris, Ross, Captain Muir, Captain R. R. Brown, Captain Donaldson, Rev. Keith, Rev. W. O'Brien, Mrs. A. H. Jones, and 31 in the second cabin.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—September 7.

Joker, ketch, Captain J. E. Farnsworth, for Port Stephens; Halley Bayley, schooner, Captain J. Billick, for Wollongong; Sophia Ann, schooner, Captain J. Weston, for Newcastle.

IMPORTS.—September 7.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Electra (s.), from Manning River: 546 bags maize, 8 bags bacon, 20 bags oysters, 1 bale millet, 148 cases eggs, 29 cases oranges, 2 baskets fish, 20 coops poultry, 86 hides, 6 kegs 1 box butter, and 34 packages sundries.

Fernmount (s.), from Richmond River: 1500 sacks sugar, 1 pinion wheel.

September 8.

Ormuz, R.M.S., from London: 869 packages drapery, 40 packages boots and shoes, 297 boxes tinplates, 379 packages tea, 40 packages desiccated coconut, 171 packages books, periodicals, stationery, &c., 150 packages steel, 39 axle drums, 7 cases bicycles, 70 packages bolts, springs, and keys, 28 cases sheepshears, 5 cases chocolate, 7 coils wire rope, 5 cases zinc plates, 1 case leather goods, 1 case pictures, 1 case boat-towing apparatus, 3 cases cigars, 18 bales canvas, 32 packages machinery, 25 bundles fishplates, 25 boxes tin-tags, 21 packages coffee, 27 rolls coir yarn, 1 case carpets, 3 cases castings, 5 cases pumice powder, and sundries.

Hawkes Bay (s.), from London: 840 packages drapery, 140 packages hardware, 500 boxes fruit, 550 cases milk, 371 packages drugs, 11 packages confectionery, 17 packages toys, 7 cases canvas bags, 9 casks peel, 26 packages books, 20 drums acid, 300 casks cement, 4 casks bolts and nuts, 8 packages boots, 12 bales string, 6 packages machinery, 14 anchors, 8 cases myrbane, 3 tanks liquorice, 200 packages spirits, 30 cases fish, 20 bottles quicksilver, 4 bundles wheels, 100 cases Vestas, 125 steel tires, 22 packages rope, 40 cases floorcloth, 60 kegs bluestone, 12 packages holloware, 20 cases lampblack, 18 cases leather dressing, 695 cases galvanised iron, 325 cases dates, 544 kegs 65 cases 29 casks paint, 5 bales cordage, 12 bales carpets, 60 bales printed matter, 20 cases brandy, 1 bale corks, 14 kegs 1 cask caustic soda, 7 cases saddlery, 10 cases beer, 5 cases brushware, 20 cases varnish, 80 cases emulsion, 25 cases vinegar, 16 casks chain, 60 packages fittings, 6 packages castings, 37 packages hats, 45 packages oilstores, 130 bars iron, 45 cases glassware, 3 cases bicycles, 30 packages stationery, 125 boxes tinplates, 20 kegs 12 casks 14 cases borax, 12 bundles buckets, 6 casks 4 barrels oil, 102 bales paperhangings, 32 cases pickles, 5 casks bottles, 100 drums tar, 724 packages explosives, 280 cart boxes, 13 brass boiler tubes, 12 cases acids, 12 casks horseshoes, 9 boilers, 5 cases tubes, and 2875 packages unspecified merchandise. For New Zealand: 3000 tons general merchandise.

Oonah (s.), from Hobart: 6202 cases 31 casks fruit, 82 cases pulp fruit, 1356 bags oats, 6 cases leather, 13 bales hops, 114 cases jams, 14,485 staves, 250 bundles palings, 8 bales skins, 1089 bags silver, ore, 750 bags bark, 25 bundles willows, 16 packages effects, and quantity sundries.

Bega (s.), from Eden and ports: 800 cheese, 92 kegs and 40 boxes butter, 24 cases eggs, 27 cans cream, 259 bags bark, 70 bags bones, 200 bags quartz, 1 case and 10 bags bacon, 110 hides, 30 packages skins, 20 packages leather, 15 casks whale oil, 2 casks tallow, 88 pigs, 12 cases and 11 baskets fish, and sundries.

Tomki (s.), from Richmond River: 15 bags hides, 280 tons sugar, 8 bales skins, 20 cases eggs, 1 case fish, 2 casks tallow, 4 coops poultry, 70 hides, 23 kegs butter, 2000ft. boxwood, 10,000ft. sawn timber, 50 pigs, and sundries.

Barrabool (s.) from Melbourne: 1064 bags bran, 340 bags flour, 268 bales hay, 180 bales chaff, 1000 boxes butter, 60 casks eggs, 175 bags onions, 60 chests tea, 504 cases and 15 quarter-casks brandy, 224 coils b. wire, 280 ingots zinc, 26 cases drapery, 109 bags coke, 50 cases and 10 quarter-casks whisky, 23 cases tobacco, 120 cases sundries, and a large quantity through cargo for Queensland ports.

Rosedale (s.), from Nambucca: 1369 bags maize, 10 bags oysters, 331 bags tin ore, 98 bags antimony, 2 bags peanuts, 58 cases eggs, 1 case honey, 9 cases samples, 7 coops poultry, 17 hides, 121 pigs, 20 pieces cedar.

EXPORTS.—September 7.

Ville de la Ciotat, French mail steamer, for Noumea: 300 boxes tinplates, 150 bags potatoes, 10 boxes tobacco, 50 cases kerosene, 20 cases salmon, 116 bags sugar, 60 casks cement, 30 bags onions, 25 bales cornsacks, 63 bales ore bags, 20 kegs paint, 50 sacks maize, 10 cases fruit, 10 casks 6 kegs beef, and sundries.

Fiona (s.), for Fiji: 266 packages train material, 273 bags rice, 500 sleepers, 125 bundles wheels, 138 empty shells, 35 tanks lime, 31 packages explosives, 25 firebars, 50 bales cornsacks, 10 packages agricultural implements, 18 packages bolts, 9 kegs zinc, 4 kegs paint, 138 packages merchandise.

Maori King (s.), for London: 6290 carcases mutton, 4356 quarters beef, 87 packages tails, 1100 cases meats, 7950 hides, 80 bales glue pieces, 12,100 bars bullion, 26 cases gum, 720 casks tallow, 2091 bags bonedust, 67 bags horns, 150 bags horns, 4 bales hair, 4 bags sinews, 1979 bags ore, 339 bags bones. From Newcastle: 8713 carcases mutton, 3500 haunches mutton, 778 quarters beef, 11 packages ox tails, 12 cases ox tongues.

Fiado (s.), for Noumea, via Newcastle: 4 tons sugar, 25 packages meats, 690 tons coal, and sundries. To be shipped at Newcastle: 140 head cattle and 100 sheep.

Maori (s.), for London: 27,951 carcases mutton, 1060 pieces beef, 199 carcases lamb, 1830 hides, 486 casks tallow, 145 bales leather, 76 bales basils, 27 bales skins, 2146 bags bonedust, 1707 bags ore, 126 head cattle. From Melbourne: 32,442 carcases mutton, 98 carcases lamb, 476 cases preserved meats, 900 crates rabbits, 708 bales 15 cases wool, 66 bales basils, 251 bales leather, 480 bales skins, 116 casks tallow, 8 bags 6 cases beeswax, 38 cases kidneys.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—The Aramac (s.) left for Cooktown, via ports, on Saturday; the Arcadia, barque, anchored at the bar on Saturday; Bullarra (s.) arrived at Flattop Island on Saturday; the Burwah (s.) is timed to arrive at Rockhampton on Monday; the Bewaida (s.) left Townsville on Saturday for Brisbane; the Derwent (s.) passed Woody Island to-day coming south; the Duke of Argyll (s.) arrived at Thursday Island on Saturday, from London; the Eurimbla (s.) passed Burnett Heads to-day, coming south; the Gulf of Bothnia (s.) left for London, via Sydney, on Saturday; the Lady Musgrave (s.) arrived to-day from Bundaberg; the Peregrine (s.) arrived at Townsville to-day; the Virawa (s.) left Townsville Saturday for Brisbane; the Wodonga (s.) left Cairns to-day for Townsville.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: September 7, Taiyuna (s.), Beeswing (s.), from Melbourne; Ganymeber, barque, from Brisbane; Namoi (s.), Oakland (s.), Cragiee (s.), Macleay (s.), Alice (s.), Industry (s.), Jones Brothers, Garron, Annie Bow, Oceana Vance, Countess of Errol, schooners, Minora, brig, from Sydney; Fresno, American barque, from Capetown. September 8, Sydney (s.), from Sydney; Romanoff, ship, from London, with general cargo. Departures: September 7, Devonport, barque, for Auckland, with 400 tons coal, 15 tons coke; Norkoowa (s.), for Melbourne, with 1100 tons coal; West Glen, barque, for Tortorsillo, with 1085 tons coal; Fultala (s.), for Bombay, via Sydney, with 3135 tons coal, 135 horses; Macleay (s.), Oakland (s.), for the Richmond River; Easby (s.), for Melbourne, with 1850 tons coal; Petrel, ketch, for the Bellinger; Industry (s.), for Melbourne, with 1150 tons coal; Cragiee (s.), for Brisbane, with 900 tons coal; Fanny Fisher, barque, Jones Brothers, Annie Bow, Countess of Errol, schooners, for Sydney. September 8, Alice (s.), Minora, brig, for Sydney; Williams (s.), for Port Stephens.

YAMBA.—Departure: September 7, City of Grafton (s.), for Sydney.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: September 7, Taieri (s.) at 9.50 a.m., New Guinea (s.) at 10.30 a.m., Airlie (s.) at 11.30 a.m., Age (s.) at 2.20 p.m., Burrumbeet (s.) at 3.40 p.m., west; R.M.S. Ormuz at 12.30 p.m., Hawkes Bay (s.) at 3.25 p.m., north.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: September 8, Australasian (s.), from London; Hauroto (s.), from New Zealand; Clitus (s.), from Sydney. Departures: September 8, Parramatta, R.M.S., for London; Bulumba (s.) and Buninyong (s.), for Western Australian ports; Ormuz, R.M.S., Arrawatta, Elingamite (s.), and Era (s.), for Sydney.

ADELAIDE.—Arrival: September 8, Lurlei, barque, from New York.

(FROM THE BOARD AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

TWEED RIVER.—Arrival: September 7, Augusta at 10.30 a.m.

BYRON BAY.—Arrival: September 8, Electra at 10.50 a.m.

RICHMOND RIVER.—Departures: Eliza Allen at 9.50 a.m., Tomki at 11 a.m. Arrivals: September 8, Augusta at 12.25 p.m. Departures: September 8, Coraki at 7.30 a.m.

CLARENCE RIVER.—Departure: September 7, Wollumbin at 8.30 a.m. for Coff's Harbour; City of Grafton at 4.45 p.m.

WOOLGOOLGA.—Passed, September 8, Oakland at 2.50 p.m., north.

BELLINGER HEADS.—Arrival: September 8, Cairo at 10 a.m. Departure: September 8, Phillip Palfrey at 10 a.m.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—Arrival: September 8, Alpha at 8 a.m. Departure: September 8, Lansdowne at 10.40 a.m.

MACLEAY HEADS.—Arrival: September 8, Burrawong at 9.20 a.m.

TRIAL BAY.—September 8, a small steamer at anchor.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Departure: September 7, Garfield at 11.5 a.m.

COFF'S HARBOUR.—Arrival: September 7, Wollumbin at 2.15 p.m.

TACKING POINT.—Passed: September 8, Sea Flower at 6.35 a.m., a large two-masted steamer at 10 a.m., north; Eurimbla at 3.40 p.m., north.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: September 8, Kallatina at 8 a.m., north; Wollumbin at 6 p.m., south.

PORT STEPHENS.—Arrival: September 7, Mary Davis at 11.25 a.m. Passed: September 8, City of Grafton at 2.5 p.m., south.

WOLLONGONG.—Departure: September 7, Albatross at 5 p.m.

SHOALHAVEN.—Arrivals: September 7, Coomonderry at 5 a.m.; Illawarra at 10 a.m.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Arrival: September 7, Allowrie at 9.10 a.m.

MORUYA HEADS.—Arrival: September 7, Billie Barlow at 11.10 a.m., from Wagonga.

EDEN.—Arrival: September 8, Pukaki at 10.30 a.m. Departures: September 7, Bega at 8 a.m.; Ettie, for Esperance Bay. September 8, Pukaki at 12.20 p.m.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: September 8, a black funnel white band steamer at sundown, south.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: September 8, Powderham at 7.25 a.m., a ketch at 8 a.m., Leura at 10 a.m., Marloo at 3.50 p.m., Norkoowa at 4.35 p.m., all west; Elingamite at 4.40 p.m., north.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed, September 8—Inward: Airlie at 8.40 a.m., Burrumbeet at 10.30 a.m., Taieri at 11 a.m., New Guinea at 11.5 a.m., Age at 11.20 a.m. Outward: September 8, Arrawatta at 2 p.m., and a barque.

HOBART.—Arrival: September 7, R.M.S. Aorangi at 11.25 a.m. Departure: September 7, Wild Wave, at 11.40 a.m., for Adelaide.

STANLEY.—Arrival: September 7, Kate Tatham at 11 a.m., from Melbourne.

BURNIE.—September 7, Scotsman, fishing smack, anchored under Table Cape.

ALBANY.—Departures: September 7, Australien at 12.30 a.m., Massilia at 6.25 a.m.

FREMANTLE.—Arrivals: September 4, Waroonga, from Albany; Gabo, from Albany. Departure: September 4, Nemesis, for Adelaide.

THURSDAY ISLAND.—Arrival: Duke of Argyll at 3.58 p.m., from London.

AUCKLAND.—Departure: September 7, R.M.S. Alameda at 2.10 p.m., for Honolulu.

MONGONUI.—Arrival: September 6, H.M.S. Goldfinch, from Russell.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Average annual rainfall for 36 years, 50·560.
Average for 37 years from 1st January to 31st August, 35·231.
Total rainfall from 1st January, 1895, to 7th September, 32·062.
Sydney standard barometer at 9 a.m. Saturday, 30·037.
Temperature: Max., 70°; min., 57°.

STATE OF BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Adelaide, 30·04; Portland, 29·87; Melbourne, 29·93; Wilson's Promontory, 29·77; Gabo Island, 29·86; Sydney, 30·01; Newcastle, 30·09; Clarence Heads, 30·13; Brisbane, 30·14; Rockhampton, 30·19; Mackay, 30·13; Cooktown, 30·09.

SYNOPSIS ISSUED AT 9 A.M. ON SATURDAY BY MR. H. C. RUSSELL, GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

New South Wales.—Fine and clear, and pleasant generally.
Victoria and Straits.—Cloudy generally.
Queensland.—Fine and clear generally.
New Zealand.—Passing showers in the south, and on west coast; in central parts cloudy; fine in the north.
New Caledonia.—Fine, and cloudy generally.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS TO 9 A.M. ON SATURDAY.

New South Wales.—Light in the south-east. Albury, 0·16; Germanton, 0·04; Kiandra, 0·42.
Victoria.—Light generally; Cape Otway, 0·12; Cape Schanck, 0·16; Melbourne, 0·43; Portland, 0·19; Wilson's Promontory, 0·20.

RIVER REPORTS AT 9 A.M. ON SATURDAY.

Albury, 11ft. 8in.; Balranald, 9ft. 3in.; Bourke, low; Brewarrina, low; Euabalong, 4ft. 10in.; Euston, 17ft. 10in.; Forbes, 3ft. 1in., falling; Goodooga, low; Gundagai, 11ft.; Hay, 11ft. 8in.; Hillston, 5ft. 2in.; Louth, low; Manilla, low; Menindie, 2ft. 9in.; Mogil Mogil, low; Mungundi, 1ft. 3in.; Pooncarie, 2ft. 5½in.; Tilpa, low; Tocumwal, 10ft. 6in.; Wagga Wagga, 9ft.; Wentworth, 11ft. 6in.; Wilcannia, 2ft. 5½in.; Yetman, low; Barwon River at Walgett, 1ft. 3in., stationary; Namoi River at Walgett, 11in., stationary; Goondiwindi, low; Bingara, 6in.

COASTAL WEATHER REPORTS AT 8 P.M. SATURDAY.

Tweed Heads, calm, thick, smoky, sea smooth; Byron Bay, N., light, fine, sea smooth; Ballina, N., light, hazy, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, E.N.E., very hazy, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, W., light, dull, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, N., fresh, hazy, sea smooth; Port Stephens, N., light, fine, sea smooth; Newcastle, W.N.W., light, hazy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Barranjoey, N.W., light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Wollongong, S.W., light fine, sea smooth; Kiama, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Ulladulla, S.W., light, fine, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, S.W., light, fine, sea smooth; Moruya, S.W., fine, sea smooth; Eden, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Green Cape, N.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Gabo Island, S.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth.

COASTAL WEATHER REPORTS AT 6.30 A.M., SUNDAY.

Ballina, N., light, hazy, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, N.E., light, very hazy and smoky, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, N.E., hazy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, N.E., hazy, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, N.N.E., hazy, sea smooth; Macleay Heads, N.E., hazy, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, N.E., light, hazy, sea smooth, bar moderate; Seal Rocks, N., light, hazy, sea smooth; Port Stephens, N.E., light, hazy, sea smooth; Newcastle, N.W., hazy, sea smooth; Barranjoey, N.W., light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, W., light, fine, hazy, sea smooth; Wollongong, N.W., warm, sea smooth; Kiama, calm, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, calm, fine, sea smooth; Moruya, N.W., light, fine, smoky, sea smooth; Eden, N.E., fresh, fine, cloudy, sea smooth; Green Cape, S., fresh, gale, fine, clear, sea moderate; Gabo Island, S.W., fresh, fine, hazy, sea smooth.

FORECAST ISSUED AT 1 P.M. ON SATURDAY.

New South Wales.—During Sunday and Monday, light to moderate winds from W. to N.; weather fine and hot, thunderstorms probable.—H. C. RUSSELL.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR SEPTEMBER 9.

Sun rises at 6.5, sets at 5.41; Moon, 10.36 p.m., 7.59 a.m.; Mercury, 6.53 a.m., 6.5 p.m.; Venus, 6.13 a.m., 7.1 p.m.; Mars, 6.37 a.m., 6.28 p.m.; Jupiter, 5.50 a.m., 1.58 p.m.; Saturn, 8.32 a.m., 9.25 p.m.
Full Moon, 4th; New Moon, 19th.
High water at Fort Denison, 10.46 a.m., 11.5 p.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 4.45 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.
NEW BRITAIN and GILBERT GROUP, 9 a.m.
WELLINGTON, &c., N.Z., noon.
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The inquiry into the Ku-Cheng massacres has resulted in the arrest of 130 additional prisoners, among whom is the ringleader.

Mr. Farrell, the M'Carthyite candidate for the Kerry South seat in the House of Commons, has been returned by a majority of 735 votes.

The Healyite candidate, Mr. Murphy, secured a total of 474 votes, as against 1209 recorded in favour of Mr. Farrell.

The Khama of Bechuanaland, which lies between the South African Republic and Cape Colony, is visiting England with two other chiefs.

They are endeavouring to induce Mr. Joseph Chamberlain to prevent the Chartered Company from absorbing their country.

A French capitalists' representative has applied for a lease of foreshore in the Northern Territory for cultivating pearl oysters.

The bomb which was to have blown up Rothschild's Bank the other day has been examined and found to be scarcely dangerous.

A son of the Archduke Joseph of Austria has been killed accidentally while on a shooting expedition in Hungary.

A deputation from the Imperial Federation League has waited upon the British Government with regard to the matter of Imperial defence.

It was suggested that the colonies should be invited to contribute to the cost of the navy and have a voice in its control.

Lord Salisbury feared that such a proposal, if carried out, would create the evil of a divided control in administration.

The *Times*, on this subject, says that the gratuitous naval defence of the colonies is the strongest bond of Imperial union.

It would be unwise, it thinks, to demand a naval defence tax or to invite the colonies to share in the control of the navy.

The *Standard*, in commenting on the proposals, expresses doubt as to whether the question is yet ripe for settlement.

The Mortgage Company of South Australia, Limited, has declared a dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

The first of five races between the Earl of Dunraven's yacht Valkyrie III. and the American yacht Defender has been sailed.

One hundred yachts and 30,000 sightseers followed the race. Tickets for places on the tug boats rose 200 per cent.

The Defender completed the outward course 3½ minutes before her rival, and eventually won by 5 minutes.

The Board of Trade returns for August show an increase in the United Kingdom imports of £2,972,784, and in exports of £2,900,255.

The Trades Union Congress at Cardiff has rejected by a large majority a scheme for the national federation of the trades.

A proposal for the nationalisation of all land, minerals, and railways, was, however, agreed to at the same sitting.

A motion was submitted to rescind the collectivist resolution passed at the Norwich Congress, but it was ruled out of order.

The shipment of coal for the month of August from the southern collieries was 54,135 tons—a substantial increase.

During last month the National Art Gallery was visited by 16,694 persons, the daily averages being 1784 on Sundays and 354 on week days.

On Saturday Rear-Admiral Bridge returned to Sydney in the Orlando, and took up his official residence at Admiralty House.

Mr. P. J. Healy, barrister and Crown prosecutor for the metropolitan district, died at his residence on Saturday morning, aged 52.

Mr. W. J. Lyne, M.L.A., leader of the Opposition, was entertained on Saturday night by the Walla Walla Farmers' Union.

He says that the taxation proposals will go through the Assembly, but soon there will be a revulsion of feeling against them.

The Central Creamery at Berry was declared open on Saturday in the presence of a large number of farmers and dairymen.

The inquiry into the case of John Johnson, before Judge Backhouse, was concluded at Darlinghurst on Saturday morning.

His Honor said he would like to send in the papers in connection with the case to his Excellency the Governor to-day.

Early on Saturday night the timber mill on Block 10 mine, Broken Hill, caught fire and was completely destroyed.

The loss will probably not exceed £1000 or £1250, and it is thought that the fire will only cause temporary inconvenience.

Dr. Rennie, Government pathologist, has completed his report on the examination of the body of Jessie Amelia Nicholls.

Melbourne Clearing-house returns for week ended 2nd September amounted to £2,374,371, an increase of £86,949 over the same week last year.

The 50-mile bicycle road championship of Victoria was won on Saturday afternoon by J. W. Parsons in 3 hours 3 minutes 50¼ seconds.

A well-known cross-country jockey, Alfred Felstead, was killed in a steeplechase on Saturday at the Wagga Show meeting.

A fierce westerly gale, with lightning, hail, and rain, prevailed at Hobart yesterday, causing much damage to crops.

A select committee on the abolition of assisted schools in Western Australia has recommended the payment of £30,000 in compensation.

In Sydney on Saturday the thermometer rose to 78·4 and yesterday to 79·5—summer records rather than spring heat.

No rain was reported in the colony on Saturday, although half an inch of snow fell at Kiandra. The outlook is not good.

Mr. H. C. Russell, Government Astronomer, says that the present drought is very severe and will cause considerable suffering.

Cardinal Moran, speaking at Granville yesterday, made a reply to his critics regarding the reunion of Christendom.

He said that during the past three centuries, in the Anglican Church, many illustrious men had declared Anglicanism to be untenable.

Rome invited all to return to her fold, but she would abandon no principle or allow a tittle of doctrine to be set aside.

On the Stock Exchange on Saturday several sales of minor importance were reported. Government securities have been in good request.

Mining matters were somewhat quiet also, the sales being few and of no considerable moment. Quotations in silver were firm.

At Darling Harbour on Saturday 3141 bales of wool were manifested, 693 arrived coastwise; and 750 were received by rail at Newcastle on Friday.

The past week has not been characterised by any great buoyancy in the import market, owing to the unsettlement of tariff conditions.

The Customs revenue on Saturday amounted to £3214. To this the 10 per cent. ad valorem duties contributed £535 and the 15 per cent. £126.

The opening of what is described as one of the largest and most complete butter factories in the colony at Berry may be regarded as an augury that the dairying interest is determined to make a bid for its share of the export trade. What the establishment of this new factory means is that if successful the three desiderata of the industry will be attained in a way most convenient to all the people concerned. High quality in the butter, uniformity of quality and regularity in supply, are the means by which the end of a large and profitable trade is to be gained. Many individual farmers, or factories, or creameries did much to secure for their particular product a steady good quality; but others did not aim so high, and in the result the whole trade suffered in its competition with New Zealand or Victorian exporters, not to speak of Continental suppliers, by reason of defective shipments. What the owner of the Berry Estate, Dr. HAY, is doing by the opening of the great factory is to replace the system of small independent factories, where, in the nature of the case, irregularities in the product were unavoidable, by the system of concentration. The latest machinery has been provided, and both the experience of the proprietor on his recent trip to Europe, and the means at his command, ensure to the new enterprise every advantage for the work which is to be undertaken. At the Berry factory the cream from any part of the district near enough to be laid under contribution will be received, and by being worked together in the most favourable circumstances, the turnout of a high-grade butter will be achieved. The new factory is erected at Dr. HAY's sole expense, and it is intended to deal with the cream of some fourteen different factories or creameries, to which approximately about 12,000 cows yield their milk. At each stage in the process of manufacture the ultimate object of producing an unexceptionable article is kept in view. The surplus that remains over the local demand is intended for shipment to England, where arrangements have already been made for its placement.

There are several aspects in which to view this gratifying experiment. In the first place, those who believe that private enterprise is fully equal to look out for its own interests without invoking the mediation of the State by bonus, marking, or otherwise, will be pleased with the support they derive from the progress of the dairy industry. In Victoria, from several causes, such as an early and resolute start and the necessity for putting their good agricultural land to use, this industry is much more considerable than with us. The benevolent dispositions of the Government have been fully availed of. Bonuses were offered to stimulate production; then the Agricultural Department stepped in to examine the quality of the butter intended for export, which when passed was guaranteed by a State brand; and, as appeared lately from the action of the Government in regard to shipping arrangements, the interests of exporters in the matter of freights had Ministerial attention. In addition, both in London and in the East the State has set itself to find new markets or widen old ones. New South Wales producers have dispensed with these bonuses and with the guarantee of the Agricultural Department, nor does it seem that the coast dairymen are any the worse. To be sure our export is as yet small contrasted with Victoria's, where this season it is thought that from 14,000 to 15,000 tons of butter will be exported, against 369 five years ago. Our figures are for last year 1729 tons, against 350 tons in 1890. The next point that will be observed with pleasure is the attitude of the landowning class exemplified on the Berry Estate and elsewhere. It is inevitable that the objection will be heard that such proprietors are primarily selfish. That does not necessarily follow, for there still are landlords who are content merely to hold their properties with the minimum of improvement and let the growth of population bring about enhancement in values. Suppose that the landowners were acting only from an enlightened self-interest, it would be no worse for the community. If it is a service to make two blades of grass grow where but one grew before, it must be much the greater service to extend small settlement, which is what such men as the owner of the Berry Estate are doing, by making the occupation of the soil yield its utmost profit by wise cooperation, expenditure of money, and experienced management. The same tendency is seen in the gradual conversion of so much of the Central and Riverine pastoral lands to agriculture under the halves or share system, by which the squatter leases the land and divides the crop with the tenant, bad year with good year, and further helps the farmer with seed, bags, machinery, and assistance to get to market. All this is not so familiar among us that it can be passed by without remark.

The opening of the factory is also, as has been indicated, proof that the possibilities of the export trade are now more adequately understood, and the dairymen intend to hold their own. An entrance into the English market having been effected, the colonies are determined to try if they cannot supply more and more of the English demand, which amounts to upwards of £13,000,000 annually. But every advance will now have to be won by superior merit, cheapness, and regularity. Denmark is jealous of the antipodeans, and in order to retain the profitable trade with England is prepared to lose heavily for a season or two so as to beat back the intruder. Distant Finland even is a competitor, while Ireland shows a marked increase in dairy production. Canada and the United States, besides France and Holland on the Continent, seek to capture the same market. But our farmers have a great advantage in the difference of seasons and in the natural pastures of Australia, and these in themselves more than counterbalance the cheaper freights and shorter transit enjoyed by our northern rivals. To make the most of the situation, however, it is necessary for the Australian dairy-producers to study a variety of matters. In order to make the most of their land they need to keep the most suitable breeds of cattle and not depasture cows that are inferior in milk. By availing themselves of the creamery and the factory they get an immediate return for milk, and transfer to skilled hands the task of working up a good butter. Then it becomes incumbent on the factories to see to the uniformity and the regularity of their out-turn, to study the tastes of the English consumer, which differ much over colour, saltness, and flavour, to seek new markets either in the British provinces or abroad, and to endeavour after lower freights and more regular shipping facilities. To gain the latter advantages the Victorian dairy farmers have lately set afoot an association, which might profitably be initiated here.

The Trades Unions Congress now conducting its deliberations at Cardiff is apparently bent on undoing the work of the Bradford Conference of two years ago. That conference met under the presidency of Mr. KEIR HARDIE, and organised a movement to act through a new Independent Labour Party for the collective ownership of the means of production, ownership, and exchange. We see by the cabled reports of the congress now sitting that not only Mr. KEIR HARDIE but also Mr. JOHN BURNS and Mr. HENRY BROADHURST have been refused admission to the proceedings, that the president has denounced the Independent Labour Party as antagonistic to labour and to trades-unionism, and that the old trades unionists challenge some at any rate of the collectivist principles of the new unionists, while rejecting by an overwhelming majority a motion censuring the Parliamentary committee for failing to execute the collectivist mandate. Coming just after the general election, where the liberalism with which the old unionists have been so closely identified received such a crushing defeat, it is evident that the result has braced the older unions up. Some strong language has been used, the president of the congress going so far as to hint that the Independent Labour Party was subsidised by opponents of the labour cause. We heard a few weeks back that the party was using its influence to the utmost to keep its sympathisers from voting during the election, and whatever the cause may have been, it is clear enough that a great section of the Liberal vote in the constituencies remained unpolled. The intervention of labour candidates, too, so split the support which otherwise would have gone to the Liberal candidate that the Conservatives captured seat after seat. The greatest triumph of these tactics was won at Newcastle, where Mr. JOHN MORLEY lost the election. A writer in the current number of the *Nineteenth Century* puts the case clearly. He says that the abstention of a considerable section of the working classes who had previously voted Liberal was sufficient to turn the balance, while the advantages secured to the workers by the party they deserted drove old supporters of another class from its ranks; and the writer, who is such a well-tried Liberal as the Rev. J. GUINNESS ROGERS, goes on to say that Liberalism has suffered from those who recoiled from what they thought was masked Socialism on the one hand, and from those who wanted more decided Socialism on the other.

It seems to have been a perception of these elements of disintegration which led the congress to its present step in the direction of closing up its ranks. The element of distrust gets strong enough expression in the determination to exclude professional agitators from the proceedings by confining membership to working delegates only. What the Americans call the "walking" delegate, as distinguished from the working delegate, has been recognised as the bane of trades-unionism in other quarters besides the Cardiff Congress. The local trades-unionism of these colonies has had some sharp lessons to the same purpose in the strikes and other disturbances which have been the result of their turbulent interference, but local unionism has yet to apply the lesson in the same practical way as the Cardiff Congress. Some further colouring to the suspicion attaching to the action of the Independent Labour Party is lent by the fact that in some branches, and especially in its Lancashire stronghold, it is a condition of membership that those enrolled must not vote for any candidate other than those put forward by the executive of the party. This may account for the abstention of many Liberals from voting during the general election, in cases where the contest lay between a Liberal and Conservative without any nominee of the Independent Labour Party being proposed. From the first there has been some suspicion that the organisation was not altogether free from the financial influence of a party outside its own ranks, and at the Manchester Conference early in last year a financial deficiency for the previous year was pointed to as conclusive proof that the Independent Labour Party had not been subsidised. But the strength of the organisation is well known. At the beginning of this year it numbered [illegible] 300 branches and 40,000 members, [illegible] should be remembered that in cases like this the influence of such an organisation is not computable by its roll-call alone, but by the activity and earnestness of its members. The influence of what is known familiarly as the "I.L.P." was the one that came into most intimate contact with the political opinions of the British working classes—at all events until the Cardiff Congress struck this authoritative blow at its unquestioned ascendancy.

There are signs that the congress, while condemning the party as an organisation, is not averse from some of its leading principles. It scouts the principle that the State should or can find employment for the unemployed, it is true. In that it follows the example of the House of Commons, which, after answering Mr. KEIR HARDIE's appeal for relief for the unemployed by granting a Royal Commission on "Distress for Want of Employment," immediately declared against his proposed remedies through the report of the same commission. But it adopts the proposal to legalise the eight-hours system in all trades except the miner's. This is one of the planks of the I.L.P. platform, together with the abolition of overtime, piecework, and the employment of children. Other principles are free and unsectarian education from the primary school to the University, taxation to extinction of unearned incomes, and the substitution of arbitration for war, with subsequent disarmament. One which strongly suggests some of the social legislative proposals of the Ministry is that to make State provision for the sick, disabled, aged, widows, and orphans out of the proceeds of the tax on unearned incomes. Some of these proposals will hardly emerge from the region of abstract argument before the end of the next century, perhaps; but in the meantime the Independent Labour Party has shown itself an active political organisation, and the new unionism it embodies has made itself so dangerous to the old unionists that they have seen proper to visit it with what looks like signal condemnation. In this there need be little doubt that the congress has taken a step that will put it in sympathy with the solid mass of intelligent industrial opinion. Whether that opinion be the result of prejudice, as the collectivists and the Fabian League contend, or of conviction founded on reason and experience, it clearly points to agreement with what another writer in the *Nineteenth Century* calls the old Liberal dislike to all unnecessary intervention of the State in private affairs.

TELEGRAPHIC INTERRUPTION.—The Postal Department has received the following message from the Superintendent of Telegraphs of South Australia:—"Fault still exists on Western Australian line between Bremer and Esperance Bay. All business is much delayed. Can receive occasional batches of five or six messages."

VICE-REGAL NEWS.—Next Wednesday afternoon Lady Darley will open the bazaar at the Exhibition-building in aid of the Chinese Presbyterian Church. On Thursday evening next the vice-regal party will attend the performance of "Going It" by the Idlers' Club at the Royal Standard Theatre. On Friday evening there will be a ball at Government House.

REAR-ADMIRAL BRIDGE.—On Saturday his Excellency Rear-Admiral Cyprian Bridge, Naval Commander-in-Chief, took up his official residence at Admiralty House.

LAND NEAR GOLDFIELDS.—In regard to some recent representations the Minister for Mines has written a minute pointing out that it is important that sufficient land for accommodation purposes should be reserved on goldfields. The Minister says it is well known that in many cases where reefs are known to exist the land is so indifferent that if leased for pastoral purposes it would realise perhaps not 2d per acre per annum, and even in some cases much less than that. On some of our old fields especially, the miners have erected little homes, fenced in a small area which they use to grow vegetables, &c., and have the run of the common for a cow or horse. This provides a home for the family while the miner is engaged in prospecting, frequently, Mr. Sydney Smith admits, with but little success. But anticipating, as most miners do, a find to repay them for the labour bestowed, they will continue in this work even when obtaining barely sufficient to provide food for their families. If they are successful in discovering payable gold, not only are they benefited themselves, but it is also an advantage to the State, because areas that can only be leased for a penny per acre per annum for grazing are in the event of such a discovery made to realise under the Mining Act £1 per acre, in addition to the revenue that accrues from the issue of miners' rights. Taking the returns prepared by the Statistical Registrar, it appears that 33,516 miners are employed in the colony, while the number of those engaged in pastoral pursuits is 34,612. But without wishing in any way to undervalue the importance of the pastoral industry, the Minister thinks it should be borne in mind that not only does the actual number of persons per acre of land occupied in mining exceed that of the pastoral industry, but that the revenue derived from the occupation of land for mining is proportionately much greater than when it is leased for grazing purposes. He is fully alive to the importance of the pastoral industry, and merely mentions these facts with a view to directing attention to the advantages of assisting the mining population to thoroughly prospect our mineral lands, and to show that at all events the mining industry is one that should be considered in dealing with the lands which it is proposed to lease for pastoral holdings.

NAVAL AFFAIRS.—The Orlando is alongside Garden Island, and has had her two biggest guns lifted ashore. They are 22-ton weapons, and it is intended to give the ship a short overhaul after her island trip. She will about the end of the month go to Melbourne, perhaps on to Adelaide, and will meet Lord Brassey in the Sunbeam. The Lizard is due from New Zealand, and the Rapid, Wallaroo, and Karrakatta will be here shortly from the islands.

COURT-MARTIAL ON BOARD THE WALLAROO.—When the flagship was at Port Moresby, New Guinea, last month the Wallaroo and the Karrakatta were there for the purpose of meeting the Orlando. A court-martial took place on the Wallaroo, when five men from the Orlando and one from the Karrakatta were charged with insubordination and other offences. For striking a petty officer and biting him one man was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment and to be dismissed the service. Three dismissals and one imprisonment without dismissal were ordered.

MAIL STEAMERS.—The Massilia, with the English mail to 7th August, is due at Adelaide to-morrow, and the mails at Sydney on Thursday. To-day the Liguria of the Orient line will sail for London from Circular Quay, and the German mail steamer Sachsen for Bremen. Both take a moderate number of passengers, and are well up for cargo.

ICEBERGS IN THE SOUTHERN OCEAN AND A SAFETY TRACK.—Mr. Russell, Government Astronomer, has asked the secretary to the Merchants' Exchange, Mr. Hayes, to have posted in the rooms the following with regard to a new safety track across the Indian Ocean for vessels bound towards Australia, Tasmania, and New Zealand:—"There is a report which I have reason to believe is true that several steamship companies in London have agreed to send their steamers by what is called a safety track to Australia and the colonies. I think it would be well for all interested to know as soon as possible that the so-called safety track runs through a space which I have recently shown at the Royal Society to have a great number of icebergs in it. This new track to Australia is said to converge to 40° south and 30° east, and thence go to 47° or 47½° south at 90° east. The tracing of my chart sent herewith shows that the safety track goes amongst numerous icebergs. In view of the fact that we have one serious collision reported and others just avoided, I thought that you would perhaps help me to reach those interested by putting the tracing sent herewith up in the Exchange room. Each report of ice is shown by a circle."

RAILWAY FARES AGITATION.—The agitation for the reduction of fares on the Western suburban railway line is making considerable progress. Representative meetings have been held in Ashfield and Burwood, and steps are being taken to hold similar meetings at Strathfield, Petersham, and other places affected. The movement is receiving the support of many of the most influential residents of the suburbs, and it is confidently expected that the deputation which will shortly wait on the Railway Commissioners, for the purpose of laying the matter before them, will be a thoroughly representative one.

ROAD TO CHISWICK WHARF.—An effort is being made by the local authorities to secure a wide and convenient thoroughfare to the Chiswick wharf, on the Parramatta River. Sir Arthur Renwick, who is one of the largest property-owners in the locality, has promised, in the event of the landowners on the opposite side of the road giving a similar strip of land, to donate a sufficient area to make a 60ft. road through to the wharf. In the event of the other landholders being compensated Sir Arthur Renwick has intimated that he will also expect compensation.

PICNIC TO PROFESSOR KRUSE.—At the invitation of Mr. and Madame Charbonnet Kellermann a number of the leading musicians of Sydney attended a launch party on the harbour yesterday with the view of meeting Professor Kruse, the violinist. The party was conveyed to Middle Harbour and landed at Fig Tree, where the health of Professor Kruse was honoured. The party returned to the city in the evening after having spent a pleasant outing.

CANTERBURY FIRE STATION.—The Superintendent of Fire Brigades has recommended the Canterbury Council to secure a site for the new fire station near the Town Hall, as a position near the railway station could not be secured for a longer period than three months. At the last council meeting Alderman Quigg suggested that a site near the Campsie station would be found the most suitable. Alderman Stone moved,—"That the site be near the Campsie station, or on the Canterbury-road, near Bemish-street." He pointed out that this site was on high ground and was also very centrally situated. Alderman Nicoll seconded the motion. The Mayor said the new brigade was of opinion that the station shed should be near Canterbury proper. Alderman Scahill moved an amendment, which was seconded by Alderman M'Bean,—"That the station be as near the Town Hall as possible." The Mayor supported the amendment, which was carried.

RETURN OF LABOUR DELEGATES.—Messrs. Sidney J. Law and Thomas Bavister, Ms.L.A., who represented the Sydney District Council of the Australian Labour Federation and the Sydney Eight-hour Demonstration Committee respectively at the Adelaide Eight-hour Demonstration and on the occasion of the official opening of the new Adelaide Trades Hall last week, returned to Sydney by Saturday's southern express. The delegates speak in high terms of the reception accorded them, and of the vigorous attitude of the South Australian labour organisations.

SOCIALISTS' MEETING IN THE DOMAIN.—A well-attended meeting of socialists was held yesterday in the Domain. Mr. A. Thompson was in the chair. The unemployed difficulty was variously discussed, the general opinions which found expression being in the direction of State socialism as a means of remedy for the present dearth of employment. The nostrums of protection and freetrade it was declared had been tried and had failed. A motion in favour of the cancellation of the agreements entered into by the Government with a syndicate for the use of Bradley's Head for coal-mining purposes was warmly supported and carried. It was urged that the present coalfields would amply meet all demands for a generation, and any reasons which had been put forward why the beauties of the harbour should be despoiled in the manner contemplated were insufficient. It did not mean the employment of more miners, but simply the removal of those at present engaged in the industry from one district to another. If it became advisable for these resources to be worked, it was advocated that it should be done by the State.

NATIONAL ART GALLERY.—The Art Gallery in the Domain was visited by 16,694 persons during last month. The daily averages were 1784 on each Sunday and 354 on each week day.

SYDNEY TRAGEDY.—The police have obtained further evidence that Sheridan was the man who drove the trap which conveyed the case containing the remains of Miss Nicholls to Duke-street, Woolloomooloo. Dr. Rennie has also completed his report of his examination of the body.

A STREET COLLISION.—Mr. Charingbold, a fettler, and his wife were admitted to the Sydney Hospital on Saturday night, suffering from several scalp wounds and other injuries received through a collision between an omnibus and a sulky in which they were driving. Mr. Charingbold at the hospital fell into an epileptic fit while his wife was being attended to. Both patients will require medical attendance for some time.

WE have received from Messrs. B. Bebarfald and Co. copies of their illustrated catalogue and price-list and estimates of household furniture as guides to furnishing.

WE are requested to state that in reply to an advertisement for a marine surveyor to the United Fire and Marine Insurance Company (Mr. T. M. Tinley, manager), Captain John Vine Hall has been appointed to succeed Captain Sustenance, who has retired after representing the company for many years.

A MEETING of subscribers to the Echo Home will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Hall at 4 p.m. to-day.

ARRIVAL OF THE R.M.S. MASSILIA AT ALBANY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBANY, Saturday.

The R.M.S. Massilia, R. Harvey commander, arrived from Colombo at 10.30 p.m. yesterday. The following is the list of her passengers:—

For ALBANY: Mr. Trude.
For MELBOURNE: Mr. Elcock.
For SYDNEY: Messrs. Milne, Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and infant, Messrs. Burnett, Telfer, Beckett, Beaumont, Robinson, Sir W. Manning, Misses Manning, Mr. Vickery, Mrs. Telfer.
For BRISBANE: Mr. and Mrs. Sewell.

The Massilia sailed for Adelaide at 6 a.m. to-day.

TO-DAY.

Federal Assembly of the Presbyterian Churches of Australia and Tasmania.
Australians' Association: Mr. B. R. Wise's Lecture at 8.
Newtown-Camperdown Freetrade and Liberal Association: Meeting to-night, Camperdown Town Hall.
Annual Meeting Sydney Ladies' Sanitary Association, Town Hall, 3 p.m.
Labour Leaguers: Meeting to-night, Temperance Hall.
Charity Concert in St. Benedict's Hall, Abercrombie-street, 8 p.m.
Sydney Liedertafel: Full rehearsal this evening in Oddfellows' Temple.
Madame Carlson's Lecture: Town Hall, Marrickville, at 8 p.m.
Masonic: Lodge Liberty, Monthly Meeting, Protestant Hall, 7.30 p.m.
No. 9 Darlington L.O.L.: Monthly Meeting, Darlington Council-chamber, to-night.
Little Bridge September Handicap, this afternoon.
School of Arts: T. A. Kennedy, the Mesmerist, 8 p.m.
Empire Theatre, York-street: Messrs. York and Jones's Variety Company, 8 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: Variety Entertainment, 8 p.m.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "Joseph of Canaan," 7.45 p.m.
Lyceum Theatre: "In Town," 8 p.m.
Criterion Theatre: "The Judge," 8 p.m.

MR. W. J. LYNE AT WALLA WALLA.

THE TAXATION PROPOSALS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBURY, Sunday.

Mr. W. J. Lyne, M.L.A., was entertained on Saturday evening at a banquet at Walla Walla by the Walla Walla Farmers' Union. Mr. John Wenke, president of the union, occupied the chair. After several loyal toasts had been honoured, the chairman proposed "The Parliament of New South South Wales," coupled with the name of Mr. Lyne. The mover and several other members of the union in speaking to the toast referred in eulogistic terms to the good service done by the guest.

Mr. Lyne, who on rising was greeted with loud cheers, made a long speech. Referring to the late election, he said that some extraordinary results had been produced. 62,000 votes were supposed to have been cast for freetrade, 60,000 had been recorded for protection, and 20,000 for labour. Although, however, the excess in favour of freetrade was only 2000 votes, the excess of freetrade members was 15. Thus 2000 voters returned 15 members. This was the result of the improper division of the country under the Electoral Act, which gave the people of populous centres greater representation than the residents of the rural districts. In New Zealand the proportion subsisting between electors and members in the urban electorates and rural constituencies was as 10 to seven. The late election returns showed that nearly all the populous centres returned freetraders and single-taxers. This was the case at Albury, Goulburn, Bathurst, Orange, Dubbo, Bourke, Hay, Tenterfield, Armidale, Tamworth, and Newcastle. In these places the producers were dominated by the distributors, but where the producers preponderated their verdict was against the Government. Referring to the taxation proposals, the speaker stigmatised them as unfair. 1d in the £ meant £2 1s 8d on £500, and on the usually accepted 5 per cent. basis, this represented 1s 8d on a £25 annual value. Yet, whilst the increase from the land was thus highly taxed, the income from other sources would only pay 6d in the pound. Mr. Lyne further asserted that no fair and square issue was placed before the people at last election. Quite as many voted for Mr. Reid and Upper House reform as for the taxation proposals, and there had been no definite condemnation of the Dibbs tariff. He felt certain, indeed, that if the question was submitted free from side issues, a majority would decide in favour of retaining the duties. What would take place under the existing circumstances in the near future it was difficult to say. The taxation proposals would undoubtedly be passed in the Legislative Assembly; but soon there would be a revulsion of feeling, and before many months, if another election occurred, it was quite likely that the protectionists would have a majority. Mr. Lyne proposed "Prosperity to the Walla Farmers' Union," and in doing so strongly urged the farmers to follow the example set by Victoria in the development of the dairying industry. Last year Victoria exported butter to the value of a million sterling; and New South Wales, with thrice the area of good land, should export three millions' worth. The chairman responded, and other toasts followed.

FIRE AT BROKEN HILL.

BLOCK 10 TIMBER MILL DESTROYED.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BROKEN HILL, Sunday.

Last evening about 8 o'clock an alarm of fire was given from Block 10, an outbreak having occurred in the company's timber mill. This building was located on the west base of the hill, contiguous to the big sulphide dump, and was constructed wholly of wood and iron. Its length was about 150ft., by a width and height respectively of about 60ft., having a large bin with numerous outlets, and the extensive floors were used for sorting and bagging ores. At the north end were two small sheds used as storerooms for bags and tools, and some men being in the habit of using these sheds at "crib" time, it is thought quite possible that a lighted match had been thrown inadvertently amongst the bags, thereby causing the conflagration. The fire was first noticed by a man named Matthews, the flames then coming from the northern end, and he immediately gave the alarm, and the local fire brigade was quickly on the spot. The fire had obtained too strong a hold to permit of the building being saved, and every effort was made to prevent the flames extending to the building only about 12ft. north-east, which contains the experimental roasting furnaces, with all their accessory plant. Fortunately these efforts were successful, and the flames were confined to the mill, which was destroyed. The building contained many thousands of second-hand bags and a small quantity of tools. About 120 tons of concentrates were on the ore floors ready for bagging, but this can nearly all be saved. The building and contents were insured in the National of New Zealand, but details not officially known here. The whole damage will probably not exceed £1000 or £1250. Mr. Alexander Campbell, one of the directors, who has been here the last few days, stated that beyond temporary inconvenience and the stoppage of certain work, the effect of the fire will by no means be serious.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOLD-FIELDS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

KALGOORLIE, Saturday.

A dinner was tendered to Herr Schmeisser and Dr. Vogelsang, German experts, and the Mayor of Perth (Mr. Alex. Forrest), by the Mayor of Hannan's last night. The room was crowded, and the proceedings enthusiastic. Herr Schmeisser, in responding to the toast of his health, said he had longed to visit the fields, and was certain, after inspecting the Coolgardie mines, that they would add greatly to the wonderful prosperity of Western Australia. Mr. Alex. Forrest said that the Government had decided to call for tenders for the extension of the railway to Hannan's, which would be accepted on the completion of the Coolgardie line in July next. Increased legislation would be given to the field, and efforts would be made to keep pace with the enormous telegraphic traffic by duplication from Kalgoorlie to Eucla, while orders had been issued for boring 3000ft. to try for artesian water. The gathering was most enthusiastic.

The scheme for bringing sea-water from Esperance Bay for battery use has been revived. The work would cost £2,000,000. Engineers assert that there would be no difficulty in the way. A bill authorising the work will be introduced. It is considered that the money could be raised in a week in London in support of the proposal.

The Great Boulder crushing comprises 102 tons of stone, which yielded 781oz. smelted gold, crushed at the company's battery, and 290 tons of stone that were crushed at the Leviathan battery, yielding 7431oz. smelted gold. The Ivanhoe crushing for the fortnight was 99 tons of stone for 213oz. 19dwt. smelted gold. This is the best crushing on record for the company.

COOLGARDIE, Saturday.

A trial crushing of 10 tons of stone from Glesson's Success mine, three miles north of Coolgardie, yielded 52oz. retorted gold. The ore was put through in bulk from the shaft without any attempt at picking. The company is now engaged sinking a vertical shaft with a view to opening out and exploring the lode at a depth of 100ft. The Westralia Lein, on the New Victoria line of reef, has been sold to Mr. J. H. Smith, who is acting for London buyers, for £30,000. A large amount of work has been done on the property, and the main shaft is down 130ft. At 60ft. a drive has been put in north and south, showing the reef to be from 4ft. to 7ft. wide. A number of costeens, about 15ft. deep, also uncover the lode through the property. Rich gold has been found in these pits, bulk tests giving yields up to 158oz. to the ton, whilst 12oz. or 13oz. to the ton can be obtained from stone lying about on the surface. There are about 700 tons of ore now at grass, calculated to go at least 4oz. to the ton.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

George Bates, aged 95, who arrived at Kangaroo Island in 1824, died at the Destitute Asylum this evening.

CADBURY'S COCOA.
A stimulating and sustaining cup—made instantly.—[ADVT.]

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

IMPERIAL DEFENCE.

PROPOSED COLONIAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE NAVY.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

A deputation representing the Imperial Federation League was received yesterday by Lord Salisbury (Prime Minister and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs), the Duke of Devonshire (Lord President of the Council), the Marquis of Lansdowne (Secretary of State for War), and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain (Secretary of State for the Colonies).

The deputation urged upon the Government the advisability of acting upon the suggestion of the special committee of the league appointed to deal with the matter of Imperial defence, to the effect that the Government should invite the colonies to contribute towards the cost of maintaining the navy on condition that they have a voice in its administration.

In reply, the Ministers promised to give careful consideration to the suggestion.

Lord Salisbury, in speaking on the question, implied that there was a danger that the proposal, if carried out, would create the evil of a divided control.

In commenting upon the proposal, the *Standard* expresses doubt as to whether the question is ripe for settlement.

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In commenting upon the suggestion of the defence committee of the Imperial Federation League, the *Times* says that the gratuitous naval defence of the colonies by the Empire is the strongest bond of Imperial union. The cost of maintaining the navy would be virtually the same even if the Empire was relieved of the defence of the colonies, though the voluntary contribution of the colonies would be a welcome earnest of the sympathy of the colonists with the Empire. It would, however, be unwise to demand a naval defence tax, or to invite the colonies to share in the control of the navy.

THE IRISH PARTY.

ELECTION FOR KERRY SOUTH.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The election of a representative of Kerry South in the House of Commons, caused by Mr. Denis Kilbride, who was returned at the general election for Galway and Kerry South, having decided to sit for the former constituency, has resulted in the return of Mr. Farrell, the M'Carthyite candidate, by a majority of 735 over the number of votes polled by Mr. Murphy, the Healyite candidate.

The numbers were—Mr. Farrell, 1209; Mr. Murphy, 474.

THE KU-CHENG MASSACRE.

NUMEROUS ARRESTS.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The inquiry concerning the massacre of Christian missionaries at Ku-Cheng, in China, is being prosecuted with vigour. Additional arrests, numbering 130, have been made. The leader of the mob which committed the outrages is among this number.

BECHUANALAND.

CHIEFS VISITING ENGLAND.

THE CHARTERED COMPANY.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The Khama (paramount chief) of Bechuanaland, which lies between the South African Republic and Cape Colony, and two of the principal chiefs, is visiting England for the purpose of endeavouring to induce Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, to prevent the Chartered Company from absorbing his country.

THE PEARL INDUSTRY.

IN THE NORTHERN TERRITORY.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

A representative of French capitalists has applied to Mr. Thomas Playford, Agent-General for South Australia, for a lease of portion of the foreshore of the Northern Territory for the purpose of cultivating pearl oysters.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN WINES.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

Mr. E. Burney Young, manager of the South Australian Wine and Produce Depot in London, will hold an auction sale at the end of the present month.

A COMPANY DIVIDEND.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The Mortgage Company of South Australia, Limited, has declared a dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

NEW MINING COMPANIES.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

The Bamboo Creek Gold-mining Company, Pilbara, Western Australia, has been formed with a capital of £100,000, and is issuing shares to the whole of that amount.

The Finance Corporation, Limited, of Perth, has been formed with a capital of £50,000, and is issuing shares to the extent of £40,000.

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The Walworth Gold-mining Company, Coolgardie, has been formed with a capital of £80,000, and is issuing shares to the extent of £21,500.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

The death is announced in Italy of Mr. William Henry Hurlbert, against whom an action for breach of promise of marriage was brought in 1891.

B. L. CORTO-ROTHSCHILD.—The finest 6d Cigar ever imported. All tobacconists.—[Advt.]

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

THE AMERICA CUP.

THE FIRST RACE.

WON BY DEFENDER.

LONDON, Sept. 8.

The first of the five races in the contest between the Earl of Dunraven's yacht Valkyrie III. and the American yacht Defender for the America Cup was sailed yesterday. One hundred yachts and 30,000 sightseers followed the race.

The prices for tickets on the tugboats rose 200 per cent. A gentle breeze was blowing.

After a false start Valkyrie III. was the first to cross the line; but Defender, with a freshening breeze, completed the outward course 3½ minutes before her, and eventually won by 5 minutes.

A mist obscured the race and seriously hampered the steamers.

Valkyrie III. allowed Defender 29 1-10 seconds.

SHOOTING ACCIDENT IN HUNGARY.

AN ARCHDUKE KILLED.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The Archduke Ladislas Philippe Marie Vincent, son by his second marriage of the Archduke Joseph, of the House of Austria, has died from the effects of a wound received accidentally while he was shooting in Hungary. He was in the 21st year of his age.

THE ANARCHIST OUTRAGE.

THE ATTEMPT UPON ROTHSCHILD'S BANK.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The bomb which was used by the anarchist who attempted to blow up the bank of the Messrs. Rothschild in Paris has been examined, and has been found to be so faulty in construction that it was scarcely dangerous.

THE TRADES UNION CONGRESS.

THE COLLECTIVIST PROGRAMME.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

The Trades Union Congress assembled again yesterday at Cardiff. The collectivist programme, which was sanctioned by the congress at the meeting held at Norwich last year, was again under consideration.

A scheme for the national federation of the trades was rejected by a large majority; but a proposal for the nationalisation of all land, minerals, and railways was agreed to.

A motion was submitted to rescind the collectivist resolution passed at the Norwich Congress; but it was, on technical grounds, ruled to be irregular and out of order.

TRADE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

LONDON, Sept. 8.

According to the returns of the Board of Trade, the imports into the United Kingdom for the month of August show an increase of £2,972,784, and the exports for the same period also show an increase of £2,900,255.

VICTORIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The body of an infant child was found on Friday in the reserve at South Melbourne. It was buried about a foot deep, and had been there several months.

The Bishop of Goulburn preached this morning in St. Paul's Cathedral to a large congregation, taking his text from Kings II., chapter 6, verse 17.

The committee, consisting of Colonel Templeton, Major Umphelby, and Captain T. S. Marshall, who were appointed to select a team to proceed to Brisbane to compete in the forthcoming rifle matches there have chosen the following:—Major Umphelby, P.A. (captain), Lieutenant Eales (G.A.), Sergeant Ross and Sergeant Hawker (V.A.F.B.), Messrs. P. Fargher, E. Walker, E. Donnigan, T. Kirk, and R. Greaves (Melbourne Rifle Club), F. Mitchell and A. Momsborough (of Ballarat), and L. De Grandi (of Rupanyup). The team is regarded as an exceedingly strong one. It leaves on Monday week on the overland journey to Brisbane.

Mr. Henry Brush, aged 30, while hunting yesterday with the Melbourne hounds fell, and received injuries which it is feared will prove fatal.

The Melbourne Clearing-house returns for the week ended 2nd September amount to £2,374,371, being an increase of £86,949 as compared with the corresponding week of last year.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

PERTH, Saturday.

A peculiar case of wife-desertion has occupied the attention of the Fremantle Police Court. Edward George Madeley, the defendant, denied that the lady in court was his wife, and said that she was the wife of his brother. The complainant swore that the man in the dock was her husband, and had been for the last nine years. The magistrate fined the defendant £5.

COOLGARDIE, Thursday.

The municipal council last night decided to apply to the Government to proceed at once to put down a deep bore in search of artesian water, and to offer a bonus of £10,000 to the contractor or company first striking an artesian supply. It was also decided to urge the Government to put up for sale at once the whole of the 200 surveyed blocks to the north of the town.

[The above message was delayed by an interruption to the line.]

TASMANIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

HOBART, Sunday.

A fierce westerly gale, with rain, has prevailed all day, causing much damage to fences, growing crops, &c. At Sandy Bay, the traffic on the tramline was stopped for some hours by fallen trees.

The Premier, in consequence of the slack attendance at State schools, has given strict orders for the enforcement of the compulsory clause, and also proposes to exercise supervision over private schools in the same direction.

QUEENSLAND.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The Government Geologist left for the Palmer yesterday to continue his investigations in connection with prospecting in the locality. Mr. Maitland, one of the assistant geologists, also left for the Central District to search for a site to bore for coal in the vicinity of the railway line.

Mr. J. H. Geddes, of Messrs. Geddes Birt, and Co., and Mr. Brun, of the firm of Messrs. Brun, Marchesa, and Co., of Paris, have been visiting Charleville. They speak in warm terms of the pastoral country out west, and are much impressed with the possibilities of the export trade to Europe.

During the voyage of the steamer Fitzroy from Rockhampton to Maryborough a fire broke out in the hold, but was soon extinguished, only a few bales of wool being damaged.

At a large public meeting held at Rockhampton, presided over by the Mayor, resolutions were passed urging the Government to establish a branch of the Supreme Court there, and to appoint a resident Judge. Several speakers paid a graceful tribute to the late Judge Harding.

The only sale in the Brisbane Stock Exchange yesterday was of Queensland National Bank deposit receipts at 15s.

NEW ZEALAND.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

THE COLONIAL BANK.

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

At a meeting of shareholders of the Colonial Bank, which was held at Invercargill, it was unanimously resolved that the business of the bank be sold, as proposed, to the Bank of New Zealand to the best advantage.

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

At the conference of delegates from various agricultural associations, which is being held at Wellington to discuss the frozen meat trade, a resolution was carried in favour of a uniform system of grading.

A fire at Eketahuna, in the Wellington province, has destroyed a number of buildings, which were insured for £1350 in the Commercial Union, £300 in the National, and £90 in the South British insurance companies.

COUNTRY NEWS.

(From our Correspondents.)

THE WOOL SEASON.

NARRANDERA, Saturday.

Our railway authorities have been successful in gaining this season's wool clips from four large stations in this district whose wool was forwarded to Melbourne, besides retaining the usual clips up to date. 1500 bales of wool have been received at the local railway station from Cuddell, Bendure, and Coonong sidings along the Jerilderie line. Shearing, which is progressing favourably, is now in full swing round the district. The wool traffic is becoming heavy. It is thought that the clips this year will be heavier than was expected. So far the results are very satisfactory.

COONABARABRAN, Saturday.

Several loads of wool passed through town during the week from Goorianawa station. This is the first lot this season.

THE WOOL RATES.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday evening Mr. D. J. M'Lean introduced the question of irregularity in the wool rates. He said that the Railway Commissioners had reduced the rates from some northern towns to Sydney, but had not done so with regard to Morpeth and Newcastle. It was resolved that Messrs. S. Keightley, T. Hall, D. M'Lean, Sharp, Brown, and Ash be appointed a sub-committee to go into the matter of these differential rates, and report the result at a subsequent meeting.

THE SOUTHERN COAL TRADE.

CLIFTON, Saturday.

At the southern end of the district the coal trade has been fairly active for some time past. At the northern end, however, most of the mines have been almost at a standstill during the last few months, with the exception of this week, when an improvement was shown, particularly at Austinmer and South Clifton. The shipments of coal for the month of August from Coal Cliff to Port Kembla were 54,135 tons. This amount indicates a substantial increase compared with the shipments for the same period last year. For the fortnightly pay drawn last evening South Bulli worked 11 days. Mount Kembla also worked close on full time. At Coal Cliff Colliery all the employees received 14 days' notice of dismissal. It is reported that in consequence of so little work being done there for some considerable time past it does not pay to carry on.

NARRANDERA LABOUR LEAGUE.

NARRANDERA, Saturday.

At a well-attended meeting of the Murrumbidgee Political Labour League the following resolutions were carried:—(1) "That in reply to the request from the Junee branch of the league asking this branch to endorse its resolution in favour of the retention of the grain duties, the Narrandera branch of the Political Labour League resolves that it is inexpedient to raise the fiscal question, and, therefore, declines to discuss the question of the retention or otherwise of the grain duties." (2) In response to the circular received from Mr. Arthur Rae advocating the inclusion of womanhood franchise as a plank of the labour platform, a motion was unanimously carried, after considerable discussion, in support of the proposal. (3) "That we affiliate with the central executive committee, and hold regular monthly meetings of the branch for the discussion of political and social questions."

A SHOCKING FATALITY.

GULGONG, Saturday.

A shocking fatal accident occurred this afternoon. The eldest son of Mr. Thomas Condon, aged 4 years, was riding in front of his father, when the horse stumbled and fell on the child's head, fracturing the skull. The boy was killed instantly.

NOXIOUS ANIMALS.

COONABARABRAN, Saturday.

A meeting was held in the Mechanics' Institute this afternoon, Mr. Walter Finley, of Purlewaugh, presiding. It was proposed by Mr. Wm. Nash, of Gorah,—"That this meeting considers that owing to the great injury done to the properties of farmers and graziers by noxious animals the subsidy paid by the Government for the destruction of such animals is totally inadequate and out of proportion to the amount collected." Mr. John Wark proposed,—"That this meeting considers that the Government having large areas of unoccupied lands which are a harbour and breeding-ground for noxious animals should subsidise the local pasture board in which such areas are at the rate of 10s in the £ as in the years 1884 and 1885." These resolutions were carried, and will be forwarded to the member for the district to be laid before the Minister.

MR. MICHAEL DAVITT.

YASS, Sunday.

Mr. Michael Davitt arrived at Yass on Friday night by the mail train at 11 o'clock. He was met at the station by the Mayor and aldermen and about 100 citizens. He was played into town by the Premier Band, and on arrival at the residence of Mr. Alderman Coen, who entertains Mr. Davitt while here, he addressed the people, and thanked them for the reception. Afterwards his health was proposed and several other toasts were honoured. To-day he visited the principal public buildings.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT IN A MINE.

BROKEN HILL, Saturday.

An accident of a serious nature occurred at the Central mine to-day, whereby a young man named Joseph Brokenshire was injured. It transpires that at the change of shifts this afternoon he intended to go to the surface from the 400ft. level, when he fell down the shaft a distance of 50ft. There was water at the bottom, which broke his fall, and when the workmen went to his assistance they found him standing on the bottom. Dr. Horne, who attended him, states that his injuries may prove fatal, as, besides fracturing an arm and leg, he has sustained serious internal injuries. He was suffering greatly from shock when taken to the hospital.

BATHURST, Saturday.

Three deputations waited on the Minister for Mines to-day, one from the Jockey Club asking him to use his influence to secure the resumption by the Government of certain land near the Corporation saleyards for the purpose of a racecourse, the second from the Western Rugby Football Union requesting him to obtain certain concessions from the Railway Commissioners in connection with running a special train to Orange on the occasion of the football match there, and the third deputation represented the Progress Association and the municipal council, and had reference to the establishment of a Government benevolent asylum at Bathurst. In reply, Mr. Sydney Smith promised to give each request attention, and to submit them to his colleagues for consideration.

BERRY, Saturday.

The Berry Creamery was opened to-day in the presence of a very large company of representative dairymen from Albion Park to Nowra. A public luncheon was given by Mr. Alex. Hay, at which he announced the terms on which he would receive cream, and which are considered most liberal. He stated that his great object was to produce the highest class article of a constantly uniform quality. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. James Martin, Colonel Bell, the Hon. James Norton, Alex. Campbell, M.L.A., D. L. Dymock, C. W. Craig, J. W. Wright, C.E., and others.

BLAYNEY, Sunday.

John Francis Tait, the passenger who was found in the down Western passenger train yesterday near Lithgow with his throat cut, is a well-known miner of this district. About four months ago he was working at the Burley Jackey copper mine, near Woodstock, and left to go to Western Australia, from whence it is supposed he was returning.

CAMDEN, Saturday.

An important test case was decided in court to-day, when Crick sued Cranfield to see if defendant was not responsible for the loss of some of plaintiff's cattle, which had been taken by defendant as a grazier. The Bench decided against the plaintiff.

GOULBURN, Saturday.

A youth named Hugh Miller, employed by Mr. Murdoch M'Kay, Yalbraith, Taralga, was killed on Thursday almost instantaneously. While jumping a fence his horse fell on him.

KIAMA, Saturday.

This afternoon while several boys were bathing in a waterhole at Long Brush a lad named Turner, 7 years of age, by some means got into deep water and was drowned.

A wooden structure of nine or 10 rooms, the dwelling-house of Mr. John Love, J.P., at Nethervale, two or three miles south of Kiama, with nearly all its contents, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. Mr. Love was away from home when the fire broke out, but there was soon plenty of help, and the outbuildings were saved with difficulty. A few articles of furniture were carried out of the house, but the progress of the flames was so rapid that there was little time for salvage operations. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a spark from a chimney. The building was insured in the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company for £300, but the contents were not covered.

NARRANDERA, Saturday.

The Mayor, Alderman P. Sullivan, and Alderman H. P. Adams have been appointed delegates to attend the municipal conference to be held in Sydney.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.

The Wallsend miners have resolved to give 6d per man towards the relief of the Seaham miners, who are now idle through that colliery being closed down on account of the late fire therein. They also resolved, by a large majority, to rejoin the Miners' Union, and endeavour to get necessary reforms in a constitutional manner.

ULMARRA, Saturday.

Ten thousand one hundred gallons of milk were supplied to the Ulmarra factory during August, the average being about 24½ to 1 of butter. The average payment to suppliers was 4½d per gallon. Mr. Pateson will meet the directors next week to arrange matters in connection with the supply of cream to the refrigerating works at Grafton.

WAGGA, Sunday.

A deplorable accident resulting in the death of Alfred Felstead in the Steeplechase occurred at the show meeting on Saturday. Felstead was a well-known cross-country jockey and was riding Clansman, the favourite. At the last fence the horse fell, and the rider being unable to get away had his head crushed to pulp. The funeral to-day was very largely attended. A subscription was raised to defray the funeral expenses and erect a monument. £40 was subscribed on Saturday night.

WEST MAITLAND, Saturday.

A grazier named Francis Love was killed at Pokolbin yesterday by a fall from his horse.

Sunday.

The annual demonstration of friendly societies in connection with the Hospital Sunday movement took place to-day. The Ancient Order of Druids, Free Gardeners, Foresters, the Hibernian Society, and the Protestant Alliance friendly societies, headed by the cavalry band, marched in procession through the principal streets, and afterwards held a public meeting in the Town Hall. Mr. Crothers (Mayor) presided. Messrs. J. L. Fegan, J. Gillies, M.L.A., the Revs. C. Jones and N. D. Cohen delivered speeches suitable to the occasion. Dr. Saumarez Smith, the Primate, preached in St. Peter's Anglican Church, East Maitland, this morning.

WEST WYALONG, Saturday.

An election of a progress committee is now taking place at the Wyalong surveyed township. 35 candidates contesting 12 seats. Keen interest is being taken in the matter, and many female voters are exercising the franchise.

AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENTS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, Saturday.

After a debate, lasting two days, the second sitting extending far into this morning, the Assembly decided, on the motion of the Government, to remove the railway workshops from Fremantle to the Midland Junction.

The joint select committee appointed to consider the abolition of the assisted schools recommended payments of £30,000 to them by way of compensation.

PROCESSION OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

A torchlight procession of the North Sydney friendly societies took place on Saturday night. The various members of the lodges represented attended at the Oddfellows' Hall, Mount-street, in full regalia, and, headed by the president (Bro. T. J. Waters), marched, to the number of about 200, along Walker-street and Blue-street, to Milson's Point, thence to Blue's Point, and from there along Lane Cove-road, Ridge-street, and Miller-street to the starting-point. Upon their return a social evening was spent in the hall, and it proved very enjoyable. The lodges who attended were the Rechabites, the O.U.F., the Druids, Sons and Daughters of Temperance, Progress Lodge, G.U.O.O.F., Pioneers, I.O.O.F., Good Intent Lodge, M.U. O.O.F., Protestant Alliance, Royal Foresters Lily of St. Leonards, and Pride of Willoughby G.U.O.O.F., and the Guilds. The North Sydney Brass Band played selections along the route of march. The executive officers were President Waters, Vice-president J. Mountford, Treasurer R. Somers, and Secretary J. Hagan.

RIFLE-SHOOTING.

CIVILIAN RIFLE CLUB CONTEST.

(From our Correspondent.)

MOUNT VICTORIA, Saturday.

The third and final competition for the prize presented by the Hon. Joseph Cook and other members of the Mount Victoria Civilian Rifle Club was shot this afternoon. The conditions were seven shots each at 600 and 700 yards, the highest aggregates being the prize-winners. The results were:—

F. Winser, scratch, 176; A. Boot, handicap 54, total 176; W. Roby, scratch, 155; B. Baxter, handicap 24—144; J. Berghofer, handicap 18—142; E. H. Norris, scratch, 141; A. Kuns, handicap 30—139.

The strong wind and the bush fire with flames in the immediate vicinity left heavy smoke clouds crossing the range, which materially affected the shooting.

LATE SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—September 9.

City of Grafton (s.), 825 tons, Captain D. Anthon, from Clarence River 7th September. Passengers—Messrs. B. Stevenson, T. Amos, P. Smith, C. Smith, W. H. German, J. James, J. Moore, J. Ward, T. Carrol, Taylor, and 2 in the second cabin. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

IMPORTS.—September 9.

City of Grafton (s.), from Clarence River: 1072 bags maize, 23 bags bones, 262 bags sugar, 11 bags bark, 5 bales skins, 188 cases eggs, 1858 cases meat, 7 cases fish, 19 casks tallow, 24 coops poultry, 5 horses, 355 hides, 52 pigs, and sundries.

THE WEATHER.

NO ABATEMENT OF THE BUSH FIRES.

HIGH TEMPERATURES AT SYDNEY.

THE GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER ON THE DROUGHT.

During Saturday and all day yesterday the coast reports were of difficulties in making out the passing shipping, owing to smoke from bush fires. The steamers coming along the coast are delayed, being as much unable to know their position as they would be in a dense fog. The lead is kept going, speed reduced, and all the precautions taken in a fog have to be adopted for safety. The mail steamer Ormuz in this way reached port yesterday afternoon, her engines going dead slow at times. This involved a delay of several hours in her arrival, and the captain says that he does not call to mind a trip when, taking the coastline right up from Green Cape, the land has been so obscured. A passenger by the Ormuz describes the red glare of the fires ashore as being a grand picture at night seen from seaward. High above what looks like the coastline, but which is one long, unbroken bank of smoke that has settled between the ship and the shore, is a lurid reflection, with here and there, where the conformation of the country is very high, what are unquestionably sheets of flame, tongue-shaped, shooting skyward, and evidently belonging to some fierce fire beneath. "To a stranger who for the first time was nearing the land," remarked one of the Ormuz people, "the panorama was that of miles of fire, and it required no great exercise of the imagination to believe that cities and towns were being destroyed." In Sydney on Saturday the temperature rose to 78·4, and yesterday 79·5. These are summer records rather than spring heat. Indeed not very often do we have a spell of weather over 80° temperature in what has been regarded as the hot season. That the terrible fires inland affected the thermometers here, there is little doubt, the hot, smoky condition of the atmosphere in the city being unmistakeable. Some of the reports from the steamers are remarkable. The Adelaide Company's Titus, from the north, reports 500 miles of "tremendous bushfires, and immense volumes of smoke." Captain Jackson, of the Tomki, reports "dense smoke" all along from the Richmond to Sydney.

No rain was reported in the colony on Saturday, though half an inch of snow fell at Kiandra. About the seaboard of Victoria it was showery, and in South Australia the rain was only along the fringe of the coast. A wire from Western Australia is a little assuring. The barometers there are of a stormy tendency, and at several places thick rain squalls are reported, with promise of more. There is just a hope that something like a general rain may come out of this change in the next day or two in this colony—just a hope, no more.

A number of bush fires are reported in the metropolitan area. On Saturday a quantity of fencing was destroyed at Bray-street, Waverley, by one which was extinguished by the Waverley V.F. On Sunday afternoon a bush fire broke out on the Vaucluse-road, near a small church. Before the Woollahra V.F., who were turned out for the fire, could extinguish it, a portion of the roof of the church was burned as well as a quantity of fencing. The M.F.B. also received a call yesterday from Captain Castles, of Bellevue Hill, to attend a bush fire there. In this case, also, the principal damage done was the destruction of a quantity of fencing.

During the week extensive bush fires have been raging in the more remote parts of the Western suburbs, especially in Enfield, Strathfield, Canterbury, and the surrounding localities. In the evening the flames were clearly perceptible from the Ashfield railway station, a distance of several miles.

During the whole of yesterday bush fires were raging in the Manly district. In the afternoon a house situated on the Red Hill, and occupied and owned by Mr. A. Brown, had a narrow escape from being burnt down.

In the evening the whole of the Freshwater district seemed ablaze, the flames leaping high in the air.

About noon yesterday an acre and a quarter of grass in the vicinity of the residence of Mr. Eugene Bovis, secretary to the French Consul, Glebe-road, Glebe, was destroyed by fire. A call was sent to the Metropolitan Fire Brigade, which extinguished the flames before any further damage was done.

Our South Head correspondent last night reported:—At midnight last night (Saturday) during a calm very thick smoke hung over here and the harbour. Vessels making the port could not be seen. Captain Creer, observing this, prudently went out to intercept any vessels coming in, and went alongside them. The Ormuz yesterday came in slowly, and anchored off Dobroyd till it cleared with a light N.E. wind, afterwards going up the harbour. A bush fire started close to the Convent in Rose Bay at 2 this (Sunday) afternoon, completely enveloping St. Michael's Church of England. The Woollahra Fire Brigade was out, and immediately extinguished the flames, preventing the building catching fire. A fire also surrounded the Government light tower for the guidance of vessels up the harbour, but only did slight damage, as the fires were speedily extinguished. After 6 p.m. the brigade left for a large fire at Bellevue Hill, but it was extinguished without damage. The fires are raging fiercely back of Middle Harbour and Manly, and the smoke to seaward is very thick. The wind is north-west, light, very thick, and smoky.

THE DROUGHT—INTERVIEW WITH MR. RUSSELL.

The Government Astronomer (Mr. H. C. Russell) upon being seen at the Observatory by a representative of the *Herald* in regard to the disastrous results of the drought, said that, speaking generally, the drought became more severe going northwards from the Lachlan, gradually getting more and more severe until the borders of Queensland were reached. He believed, although he had no definite data, that the drought was even more severe in south-western Queensland than it was in any part of this colony. The drought had been very much intensified during the last two months by the severity of the winds. The unusually dry and fierce winds had perished up the whole country. There was a succession of very dry years from 1880 to 1885. In each of these years the rainfall was very much below the average—in fact it was a continuous drought until the middle of 1886. That drought affected the whole of the colonies, and at that time all the old squatters said that it was more severe than anything known in the colony prior to that; even—and this was a common expression—worse than the terrible drought which existed from 1837 until 1839, and which practically ruined the colony at that time. The drought of 1837-39 brought about the greatest crisis the colony had ever known. Of course it was a small place in those days, but the scarcity of water led to the failure of almost everyone. The present drought had been nothing like so severe as those of the two periods referred to. Coming to more recent years, the drought of 1888 was a most disastrous one. From 1st January to 31st December, 1888, was the driest period for the whole of the colony on record. Correspondents in writing to Mr. Russell on the subject of the drought say that the exceptionally good seasons for the last six or seven years have induced people to get a good deal more stock than could be kept in dry weather, and that, therefore, owing to the unexpected scarcity of water, the losses will be of an extremely serious nature. Questioned as to the apparently remarkable fact that the Riverina district is not suffering, Mr. Russell said that the explanation was that the rain-bearing weather had been unusually far south this year. As a consequence there had been an abundance of rain in Victoria and Tasmania; in fact in Tasmania it had not ceased raining for six weeks. New South Wales had been experiencing north-westerly winds without rain, whereas Victoria and Tasmania had been getting southerly winds and the rain which accompanied them. Ordinarily at this time of the year these rain-storms would be passing over, giving water to the greater part of this colony and South Australia, but the whole belt had shifted further south.

(From our Correspondents.)

COONABARABRAN, Saturday.

The weather is warm and dry.

MOUNT VICTORIA, Sunday.

Quite summer heat prevails to-day. The gale which moderated last night has again started, giving indications of culminating in a hot wind.

NARRANDERA, Saturday.

The weather is warm. Rain is threatening.

WEST MAITLAND, Sunday.

The continued d[rought] is producing disastrous results in this district. In many instances persons are without water for household purposes, and the cattle everywhere show evidences of want of feed. Unless rain comes soon several creameries will be compelled to suspend operations.

ULMARRA, Saturday.

Three inches of rain have fallen in six months, and farmers are anxious about the planting of maize and potatoes.

THE CASE OF JOHN JOHNSON.

CONCLUSION OF THE INQUIRY.

The inquiry under the 383rd section of the Criminal Law Amendment Act into the case of John Johnson, convicted of perjury in connection with the Butler divorce suit, was concluded at the Darlinghurst Court on Saturday by his Honor Judge Backhouse. Mr. Wade appeared for the Crown, and Mr. P. H. Sullivan appeared for Johnson, who was in court. Butler was also present in court, and was allowed to question the witnesses.

Samuel Blackmore Bamfield, solicitor, said during the perjury case he acted for Johnson. He believed a subpœna was issued for Mrs. Greenfield, but subsequently it was decided not serve it, as it was thought she could not help the case. It was after due consideration on his part that she was not brought into court. Mrs. Greenfield's name was given by Johnson to witness, and a subpœna was issued for her. He supplied Messrs. A. Rofe and Sons with certain information in reference to the adultery charged against Butler. He received a reply from Messrs. Rofe and Sons after he filed the answer in divorce, which alleged the adultery at 105 King-street, and they asked for further information. He at once wrote to Messrs. Rofe and Sons that the locus of the adultery referred to was at 105 King-street, Newtown, and that it happened soon after the return of Butler and his brother-in-law (Johnson) to the house after a smoke concert held in honour of the Carlton and South Melbourne football teams. There was nothing said about a horse in the letter. He could not say whether Butler knew what evidence Johnson would give about the adultery until he heard him in the Divorce Court.

Frederick William Jones, commercial traveller, recalled, said his wife was not present with him when Mr. Rofe interviewed him. He took his statement down then and there; he saw him write it down. Witness said in the statement that soon after Mrs. Butler came to live next door she began to tell him about her troubles. He also said Mrs. Jones took very ill, and Mrs. Butler looked after her very kindly. He did not remember Mrs. Butler saying that she had told his wife she knew Bellemy. He did not tell Rofe anything about Mrs. Butler and Bellemy. He did not tell Rofe that Mrs. Butler had told him that when she went to live at the Glebe the man Williams went to live opposite to her. He said that a man named Taylor used to call at Mrs. Butler's house in Church-street. He did not remember saying anything to the effect that Mrs. Butler said she was going to Summer Hill, and while in the railway car a gentleman offered her a pound. He did not say that Mrs. Butler had given his wife a bottle of medicine for a certain purpose; Mrs. Butler did give his wife a bottle of medicine, but not for that purpose. As far as he knew these statements were without foundation.

Harriett Jeffries, a married woman, said for a fortnight in 1890 she was a servant at Butler's. It was while Mrs. Butler was at the hospital. She did not remember seeing a horse at Butler's while in service there. She did not see a horse in Butler's yard.

Mr. Wade, in reply to his Honor, said no document as described by Horatio Jones on the previous day could be found in the Crown Solicitor's office; but a further search would be made.

His Honor said he would like to send the papers in the case to his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor on Monday.

Mr. Sullivan asked that the rider of the jury in the conspiracy case and the indictment in Johnson's case might be put in.

Mr. Wade said he might have another witness to call, and his Honor said that if the Crown had any further evidence he would sit again at half-past 4 o'clock on Monday. The inquiry, he said, would now be closed, unless he had to sit on Monday.

RETURN OF THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

AN ISLAND CRUISE.

THE ORLANDO AMONGST THE POLYNESIANS.

The Naval Commander-in-Chief on Saturday morning returned to headquarters on board his flagship Orlando, having spent over three months visiting all the important islands within the Australian station. The first port after leaving Sydney on the 28th of last May was Lord Howe Island, where the Admiral landed and a party of islanders came off to the ship. Bishop Wilson, of Melanesia, who was a passenger from Sydney in the flagship as a guest of Admiral Bridge, was landed at Norfolk Island on the 1st June, and a couple of days were put in at this interesting home of the mutineers of the Bounty. On the 5th June the Orlando anchored in Noumea Harbour, saluting the port and the British Consul. Here the reception accorded his Excellency was most hospitable, and four days were spent in festivities. The men were given special leave, and took part in a cricket match and a regatta arranged in honour of the Commander-in-Chief's visit, and before the ship sailed an "at home" was given on board by the Admiral. From New Caledonia the Orlando shaped a course to Fiji, arriving on 12th June at Suva. In company with the Lieutenant-Governor some of the officials and officers of the flagship had an enjoyable cruise up the Rewa river to some of the stations owned by the Colonial Sugar Refining Company. Native dances were given, and the visitors were loaded with presents on their return to Suva. For the first time in their lives the Rewa natives were treated with iced beverages, some ice from the flagship having been taken up in the stern-wheel river boat, and their appreciation of it was humorous to a degree, especially so with those who ventured upon munching up some pieces of it. The Tongan Group was next touched at, the ship anchoring there on 22nd June off Nukualofa. Two days were pleasantly spent in Tonga in cricket matches and visiting, Mr. and Mrs. Forsyth especially providing for the visitors' enjoyment. Savage Island, or Niue as it is now known, was next made for, and was reached on the 27th. This is one of the best known stations under the care of the London Missionary Society. The Admiral landed and spent a few hours ashore. Next day the anniversary of Queen's Victoria's coronation took place as the belted cruiser crossed the 180th meridian of longitude, and hence made two Fridays of it that week. Exactly at noon on the 28th June, with the ship dressed in bunting stem to stern, rainbow-shape, the cruiser's guns boomed a Royal salute while steaming along at 12 knots. To a passing vessel the sight of such an event at sea happening in mid-ocean it would have been startling, sufficiently so, perhaps, to cause the master to show his colours, and give that strangers a wider berth. That day the harbour of Apia, Samoa, was made, and the flagship let go on the ground the Calliope was at anchor upon in the notable Samoan hurricane of a few years agone. His Majesty King Malietoa was a guest of the Admiral's during the Orlando's stay. The officers took runs into the country, and enjoyed a trip to the Papayo Chute, a sort of young Niagara, over which the visitor may glide with impunity, falling into deep water below in safety, the dusky Samoan maidens, dressed in pretty native costumes, taking the initiative. In honour of the visit of his Majesty to the ship the Orlando's crew were put through a number of evolutions, including a sham fight, and at night the King entertained the flagship party ashore and a native dance was given. Leaving Samoa, the Solomon Islands were made, and after coaling at Port Sandwich Saddle Island was visited, the Admiral landing under armed escort, as mentioned the other day, the natives being so treacherous. Later the Rev. Mr. Forrest was met with in the group, and went with the Admiral to several of the villages where the natives are most dreaded. At one of these places, Nelui, a pretty little church (native-built) was visited. There the chiefs were hospitable to extravagance. Mr. Forrest accompanied the Admiral to Trevannion Island and Gracious Bay, and to the islands at which Bishop Patteson and Commodore Goodenough were killed. At Trevannion Island Mr. Forrest had been surreptitiously attacked by natives recently, and the Admiral took the opportunity to explain to the chief that a severe penalty would be exacted for any outrage committed upon missionaries or traders. The Orlando got away from the group on 25th July, and on 6th August arrived off the New Guinea coast. Dinner Island was first called at, where the Merrie England, with Sir William Macgregor on board, was met. From there Port Moresby was made and left on the 11th ultimo, and since then the ship has visited the Queensland ports, as already advised from time to time by wire.

MISSIONARY WORK IN INDIA.

The Rev. Isaac Row, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, stationed as a missionary in India, who is at present on a visit on furlough to the colonies, delivered a special address in the Centenary Hall yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the movement known as the "Pleasant Sunday Afternoons for the People." The Rev. Rainsford Bavin, superintendent of the Central Methodist Mission, conducted the devotional portion of the service, and during the course of the afternoon Miss Hathaway rendered two sacred solos, with organ accompaniment.

The Rev. Isaac Row, who chose for his subject "Missionary Life and Labours in India," said that his own work during the last 10 years had been of a special character as an evangelist. The society with which he was connected endeavoured to reach the Englishmen who were isolated on plantations in various portions of the great Empire. There were hundreds, thousands, tens of thousands, of our own countrymen scattered and isolated all over the country who seldom had an opportunity of hearing the Gospel. The terrible spiritual destitution to be found among these people was to be deplored, not only for their own sakes, but also for the sake of the heathen, who looked upon them as Christians because they were white. He had travelled over 200,000 miles in India, and much good work was being done there. By inducing their own countrymen to lead Christ-like lives they were greatly aiding the work of Christianising the heathen. Mr. Row interspersed his remarks with a number of anecdotes regarding the dangers to be faced in travelling in India, and concluded with an earnest appeal that the best of Australia's sons would show their practical sympathy with the work by devoting their lives to the conversion of their own kith and kin, their own brothers and sisters, who were isolated in inland India, and whose influence on the natives was very great.

BERRY CENTRAL CREAMERY.

OPENING CEREMONY.

(By our Special Reporter.)

The Central Creamery at Berry was declared open on Saturday. A large number of dairymen, agriculturists, and others having farms on or in the neighbourhood of the Berry Estate were present by invitation. The visitors were shown over the building by Mr. A. Berry and Mr. Wright (the engineer on the estate). The process of buttermaking was fully explained, and great interest was taken in the working of the machinery. In addition to the particulars of the creamery which have already been given in the *Herald*, it may be stated that the building is situated near the railway line, so that the work of despatching the product to market will be easy. A platform runs the length of the building, and freight cars can be loaded and unloaded with very little trouble. The length of the building is 100ft., and its width 40ft., and it is a model of one of the best Victorian designs. The power is derived from a 14-h.p. Marshall high-class horizontal steam engine, built especially for the creamery, the boiler being supplied by Mr. James Martin. The visitors were shown over the receiving-room, the straining-room, the cream-cooling-room, the churning-room, and the butter-room. A full explanation was given regarding the mode of treating the cream and butter, and the way of testing the cream was also made known. The process of buttermaking by the machinery (which has already been explained in the *Herald*) was subjected to a good deal of criticism; but the general opinion appeared to be that the plant had been put together in most workmanlike manner, and that it was admirably adapted for the purpose for which it is intended.

THE LUNCHEON.

AN EXPLANATION OF THE SCHEME.

After the inspection of the creamery the party adjourned to the School of Arts, where luncheon was partaken of, the chair being taken by Mr. Alex. Hay, and about 80 persons being present.

The chairman submitted the toasts of "The Queen" and "The Governor," which were heartily responded to.

The Chairman, in giving the toast of "The Visitors," said that he would take the opportunity of explaining the scheme under which it was proposed that the creamery should be worked. He had invited a large number of the farmers between Kiama and Nowra to meet there that day in order that they might have an opportunity of looking over the creamery just erected, and of hearing the proposals which he intended to make for its working, so that the farmers of the district might have an opportunity of judging for themselves. (Hear, hear.) During the last two or three years the trustees of the Berry Estate had been assisting largely in the development of the estate, and had left the farmers to work out their own salvation, so far as the sale of their produce was concerned. The farmers had not done very much, but what the trustees had now done would, he thought, be recognised as one of the best things which had ever been done for the farmers. If it had been started by the farmers themselves, the scheme might have been successful to a degree, but now that the trustees had taken the matter in hand they were determined to make it a success. When some years ago they started to develop this part of the district their ideas were scoffed at. He was glad to notice in connection with this matter that the Government was going to do something for the producers. ("Yes, tax their land.") The interests of the trustees of the estate were so closely identified with those of the farmers that any scheme for the benefit of the one must benefit both. Some 18 months ago a meeting was held there, at which his brother, Dr. John Hay, presided, and he was sorry that he was not there that day to see his wishes carried out. The absence of his brother cast a great responsibility upon himself in connection with carrying out the business of the estate. He was in England at the time the first meeting was held, and he took the opportunity of inquiring into the butter business in London, and the prospects in store for such an enterprise as they were starting to-day. In writing home on the matter, he advised the establishment of a central factory, where a product of uniform quality would be made, and this was necessary if that district hoped to make a name for itself on the London market. He went into the matter fully, and he satisfied himself that the dairying industry was one of the finest things in the world if it was properly looked after. If it was not properly looked after, it was probably one of the worst speculations that could be entered upon. During the course of his inquiries he visited Denmark, Germany, and Austria, but in the two latter countries he was unable to find out anything that was of any use to him. With regard to Denmark, he satisfied himself that what he was told was correct, viz., that the trade there was carried on in the most scientific manner possible. Their market was only two or three days distant from England, and therefore in competing with them this colony would be at a considerable disadvantage. Any trade done between ourselves and any old European country would have to be marked by honesty, uniformity, quality, and excellence. Denmark, however, had to feed her cattle for eight months in the year, so that in this way we should have some advantage, and ought to be able to turn out quite as good an article as she did. When he returned to the colony he did so by way of Victoria, and took advantage of the opportunity which offered to visit Geelong and the western districts of that colony. He found that they were ahead of us with regard to their factories and appliances. Their output, according to recent returns, was very much in excess of the output of this colony. The result of the deliberations of the trustees of the Berry Estate was that they would erect a creamery second to none in Australia, as they recognised that in order to make the scheme a success they would want a good establishment, a good manager, and the support of the farmers, who would have to send them good cream. He was certain that with these factors they could, on that estate, produce an article second to none that had yet been exported from the colony. There was no sentiment about what they were doing. They looked at it purely from a business point of view. The farmers would send their stuff there if it would pay them. (Hear, hear.) The trustees would try their best to make it pay the farmers. (Applause.) They proposed receiving cream from anyone in the district so long as it arrived there in a condition to make decent butter. If it was not up to a certain standard they would not take it. ("We will then send it to Sydney.") They intended to take the highest-priced butter in Sydney and to give the farmers a farthing per pound more. (Applause.) But stop, they would have to make a deduction for working expenses. That deduction would be a penny in the pound. If they found out by experience that they could give more they would do so. They would purchase the cream from the farmers according to its value for butter-making, and would pay them for it, and would relieve the farmers from all risk. The company would take all risks. They would not ask the farmers, if they made an inferior article, to pay so much more because the creamery lost by the transaction. Let the farmers bring their cream there; and the factory would make it into butter and take all risks. He had noticed that the selling price of best Australian and New Zealand butter in London had been 10½d per lb., whilst some of the New South Wales butter had not exceeded 8½d per lb. The trustees proposed despatching the butter to Sydney to the care of the South Coast and West Camden Company. That company would dispose of it to the best advantage. When they could not dispose of it locally they would send it to London. The butter would be sold in boxes bearing their registered trade mark, a bunch of berries, and no consignment would be sent away which was not of the best quality. They had given orders that if any butter arrived in London or elsewhere, and it was found to be of poor quality, the brand was to be taken off the box and the butter was to be sold for what it was worth. The London market was not to be taken in. They were the keenest people in the world, and the only way to secure a decent market in London was to send home an article of the highest standard, and they intended to do that. He hoped for the sake of the estate, the people on the estate, and the people in the district, that the scheme would be a success, and what he meant by a success was that they ought to be able to produce an article second to none in the colony. He hoped to give Shoalhaven the credit of being one of the first districts to come forward and take up this enterprise in a proper manner. During the last few years the trustees had added to the 300 farmers on the estate another 60. They could not get people with money to settle on the land, and the trustees had had to take the best tenants they could find, and in many cases they had assisted them to start life. He hoped that the people that settled on the estate in this manner would feel a little gratitude to those who had assisted them, and would do their best with a view of making the present scheme a success. He had now great pleasure in submitting the toast he had named, and he would call upon Mr. James Martin to respond. (Applause.)

Mr. James Martin, who was received with cheers, said that it did one good to come to a flourishing district like that when there was so much depression throughout the colony. They were asked in some quarters what the Government was going to do to help their industries. He took it that they had an object lesson in the working of that estate, and in the carrying out of the present scheme of butter-making, not only for their members of Parliament, but for the Government as a whole. The gentlemen who had started the present scheme had, he thought, struck a happy medium which ought to have been struck long ago, and which if it had would have added to the success of New South Wales. They had an industry started by a gentleman in his private capacity, which had usually been left to some co-operative institution. As a matter of fact, Dr. Hay had commenced an insurance fund for the farmers in the district. Sheep-farmers and others had to find a market for their products, but the dairy-farmers of this district had a market found them close at hand, and the purchasers took all the risk. He could not help thinking that the creamery would be a good thing for the colony, and he wished it every success. He was pleased, and he was sure the other visitors were pleased, that a new line had been struck out in Berry, and in responding to the toast he could only say that the visitors wished the greatest success and prosperity to the Berry Creamery. (Cheers.)

Mr. Campbell, M.L.A., proposed the toast of "The Trustees of the Estate." He said that when they took charge of it a large portion of the estate was unproductive and undeveloped. Since then many changes for the best had been carried out. The trustees had not spared the expenditure of money to develop the district, and to bring into use the waste lands of the estate, which were formerly an eyesore. Where swamps and pools of water used to be they now saw waving crops and good stock. The scheme which they had assisted in inaugurating that day was the latest sign of their anxiety to assist the farmers, and he hoped the result would be that the dairymen on the estate would get a better price for their product. (Cheers.)

Dr. J. Norton, M.L.C., responded. He stated that although the trustees had been credited with a share in the present undertaking, they had simply approved of what Dr. Hay had done, and they hoped that the project would turn out to be a complete success. He was born in Sydney 70 years ago, when it was certainly nothing but a beautiful harbour, and nobody ever expected it to be anything. He had seen it grow until that day it was one of the most beautiful cities on the face of the earth. He had seen it become a free country—possibly too free. About the time that he was born Mr. Alex. Berry came to that district with a hundred convicts, and commenced to cultivate the land, and the result was that the place was what they saw it that day. Dr. Hay had done more for the district than had ever been done before. He had laid out 125 miles of drainage in order to drain swampy land, and had thus made it capable of feeding thousands of cattle. He had done this at an expense of £135,000, and had practically received no assistance from the Government. As a matter of fact, the Berrys had been "kings" in the neighbourhood. Whatever the people wanted they came to Mr. Berry for it; he, in fact, was their "Government." Now the trustees had started a creamery, which would certainly be for the benefit of the farmers of the district. That it would be a success was assured by the attendance of so many dairymen that day. (Cheers.)

Colonel Bell (Consul for the United States) proposed "Success to the District." He stated that he had seen a good deal of the world, and having been shown over the Berry Estate, he thought that it was one of the most charming places he knew of. If a man could not make a living upon it, he should give up altogether, and go out of the world like a gentleman. (Laughter.) What the people wanted in this colony was self-reliance. The people of his own country did not wait for the Government to do things. They did not wait for things to turn up; they made them turn up. In this colony a great deal was said about unlucky men, but what was wanted was more dependence by the people upon themselves. After all, the Australians were a good deal like the Americans. He had seen lately that a good deal of interest was being taken in the export of live cattle from Australia. He sent a report to his own Government on the matter. He told his Government that they raised better cattle in Australia than were raised in America; and that was a fact. The Australians also raised quite as good fruit as the Americans did, but they wanted a little more taste in cultivating it, and also a little more taste in packing it and sending it to market. He believed that a market could be found in America for Australian fruit. It might be said that they had plenty of fruit in America, but it should be remembered that when it was summer in Australia it was winter in America. That made all the difference. With regard to the butter industry, he saw no reason why they could not create a good export trade. What they had to do was to make a good reputation, and to be careful that they did not lose it because of one keg of strong butter. (Laughter.)

Mr. Boyd (Mayor of Berry), who stated that he had been on the estate for 28 years, briefly acknowledged the toast on behalf of the residents of Berry.

Mr. John Stewart stated that, although they had a very large number of stock on the estate, some of the cattle were of very little use, and it was questionable whether they were profitable, and he alluded to the necessity of an endeavour being made to keep up the reputation of the estate for good stock.

Mr. C. W. Craig (Kiama) said that what was wanted to make this colony prosper was creameries all over it. They should get rid of as much of the butter as possible in Sydney, and send the rest to London under a well-known brand. He believed that a great deal of money could be made out of dairying if it was conducted on proper lines.

Mr. James Monaghan said that he was gratified to see that there were signs of the district progressing. He hoped that creameries would be started in other portions of the district.

Mr. D. L. Dymock (chairman of the South Coast and West Camden Co-operative Butter Company) said that he thought that the district was to be congratulated upon the event of that day. There was no reason whatever why New South Wales should not do equally as well in the dairying business as Victoria. He pointed out that more attention ought to be given to the care of stock, and stated that he hoped that the scheme would turn out to be a commercial success.

Mr. Wright also responded, and finished with proposing the toast of "The Press."

The proceedings concluded with cheers for the chairman and the trustees of the estate.

DEDICATION OF A CHURCH AT GRANVILLE.

ADDRESS BY CARDINAL MORAN.

REPLY TO CRITICISMS ON THE REUNION OF THE CHURCHES.

Yesterday afternoon Cardinal Moran performed the ceremony of dedicating Holy Trinity Church at Granville, the building of which has been so extensively repaired that it is practically a new structure, and is capable of seating an additional 250 persons. Seated near the altar were — Rev. Father P. O'Reilly (Rookwood), Rev. Father Conway (St. Francis', Sydney), Mr. D. O'Connor, M.L.C., Mr. Dowell, O'Reilly, M.L.A., Rev. Father T. O'Reilly (Parramatta), Dr. Harrison (Granville), Mr. E. O'Farrell, Rev. Father Sheridan (Wattamatta).

The Cardinal congratulated the parishioners on the success which had attended their efforts to rebuild the church, and said he would avail himself of the opportunity of referring to some matters of public importance. The Church of Christ could not cease to be one. All heresies and schisms had gone forth from her one fold. They had been tossed about by every wind of doctrine, and were beguiled into the devious paths of error by the craftiness and passions of deceitful men. Holy Church invited them to return to their Father's house, and to regain once more the inheritance which they had sold for a mess of pottage. His speech on the reunion of Christendom had brought forth hundreds of hostile critics, who had hurled all sorts of anathemas against him. Three features of Protestantism in particular were brought prominently before them by the controversy. In the first place, they saw in the Anglican Church during the past three centuries a bright and honoured roll of illustrious names of Bishops and Archbishops, of clergy and laity—men noted for genius, learning, and integrity—who had declared the position of Anglicanism to be untenable, and who had yearned to be restored to the communion of the mother Church. What did that prove? If they saw a banking institute from which its own directors were selling out their shares and withdrawing their capital, would they not conclude that it was not a safe concern, and would it not be folly to choose it as an investment for some purpose dear to them all? It was so in regard to the Anglican communion. The second feature of the controversy was the anxiety and readiness which all the various sects of Protestantism avowed to make some compromise in their respective tenets that they might become united among themselves, whilst they protested against union with Rome precisely because she would make no compromise. Rome invited all to return to her fold, but she would surrender no principle nor would she allow a single tittle of her doctrinal teaching to be set aside. Dr. Chalmers, Bishop of Goulburn, had said that all Churches would have to make concessions, would have to surrender something they had long cherished—the Church of England her 39 Articles, the Lutherans their Augsburg Confession, the Presbyterians their Westminster Confession, and so on. Now, was not an admission that one and all of those various Protestant sects taught truth partially, and with an admixture of error? But with the Catholic Church the truths which 300 millions of devoted hearts professed to-day were the very same as those which were handed down to them by their ancestors, who received them from the Apostles, who had received them from the Lord. A third prominent feature of the controversy was that the various champions of Protestantism, in order that they might find something that they might assail in the Catholic Church, had felt themselves constrained to misinterpret her teaching. They had fashioned to themselves phantoms of their own imagination, and had labelled them "The Catholic Church." Against these they had discharged their batteries, and when they had demolished them they would fain make people believe that the Catholic Church had been overcome. They said Catholics were idolators in honouring the blessed Virgin, and all the Protestant Churches pinned their faith to this Mariolatry of the Church of Rome. Dr. Chalmers, of Goulburn, had said that the Roman worship of the blessed Virgin was an insuperable barrier to the reunion of Christendom, as it involved the deification of Mary. The Catholic Church had declared a thousand times that they held no such doctrine. They honoured the blessed Virgin as being exalted and privileged in a special way by God, but with their whole heart they declared that to God alone supreme worship was due. The Catholic Church had cut off a small sect called the Collyridians in Africa in the fourth century because it had declared that the blessed Virgin should be adored. When the Council of Trent defined the sinlessness of the Virgin it added that that was a special privilege of sanctity conferred upon her by the Creator. The primary catechism, too, declared they never gave the blessed Lady divine worship, which was due to God alone; and her immaculate conception was described in the catechism as her being preserved from original sin. The mosaics, frescoes, and relievoes of their churches attested that as far back as the days of catacombs honour and devotion to the Virgin Mary held the same place among Christians as it held to-day, which was also witnessed by the most ancient liturgies of the Eastern Churches. Some of the ablest Protestant writers—Longfellow in his "Golden Legend," and Edgar Poe—had not failed to recognise the sanctifying influence of devotion to Mary. Dr. Chalmers had said a most absurd thing with regard to the immaculate conception. He had said if Mary were exempt from original sin she would no longer be a child of Adam. Did John the Baptist cease to be a child of Adam when he was sanctified in his mother's womb? Had we ceased to be of Adam's race when we were cleansed from original sin in the regenerating waters of baptism? Above all, was not our Saviour a true son of Adam? The Cardinal concluded by declaring that the assaults made on the Church would only make its adherents more zealous and devoted.

Mr. D. O'Connor, M.L.C., proposed a vote of thanks to the Cardinal, which was seconded by Mr. O'Farrell, and supported by Mr. O'Reilly, M.L.A.

The Cardinal acknowledged the vote.

The debt remaining on the building was £140, of which £69 was collected after the Cardinal's speech. The Cardinal announced that he would deliver other speeches throughout the suburbs in reply to criticisms upon his speech regarding the reunion of Christendom.

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AMUSEMENTS.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

"Joseph of Canaan" was witnessed by large audiences, afternoon and evening, at Her Majesty's Theatre on Saturday. The first tableau, showing the brethren at the well, with the palm trees waving above the green oasis and the desert stretching far away to the sandy hills in the distance, is but one of a series of picturesque tableaux illustrating Eastern life in Biblical times. In the last act, where the brethren abase themselves before Pharaoh's august lieutenant, the recognition between Joseph (Mr. Rignold) and the brethren formed a touching episode, and the applause was cordial.

LYCEUM.—IN TOWN.

The reappearance of Mr. Louis Bradfield as Captain Coddington formed the chief factor in the success achieved at the Lyceum Theatre on Saturday, when "In Town" was revived before a house quite as enthusiastic as on the first night. Mr. Bradfield's exuberant spirits, the wickedly confidential way in which he (metaphorically) winks at the audience, and the brilliant lightness of touch by which he glides through the nonsense of his part, were all in evidence once again on Saturday, and proved as fascinating as before. The music of "In Town" is, moreover, more than usually taking, so that the "Romeo and Juliet" duet between Mr. Bradfield and Miss Decima Moore wins an encore as much for the tuneful rendering given by the singers as for the diverting "dumb-crambo," in which the baritone re-strings and tunes an imaginary guitar. "Some Do It This Way," which may be considered Mr. Bradfield's best number, involving as it does a whole series of clever imitations and life studies, was also encored; and, indeed, enthusiasm was at fever heat throughout the evening. Miss Decima Moore had to repeat her song, "Dreamless Rest," her tender rendering of the poetic music being evidently appreciated. Miss Palotta again captivated the audience with her archness in "I Never Flirt," and Miss Florence Lloyd repeated her "gentlemanly" impersonation as Lord Clanside. In the second act Mr. Fred Kaye is much in evidence as the "Call Boy," and his song, given with an amusing air of unconsciousness and reality, was encored, whilst roars of laughter attended his love-lorn overtures to the prima donna. Mr. Charles Ryley made a hit as before, by his clever disguise of voice and appearance, as the Duke; and Miss Hobson, Miss Massey, and Mrs. Phelps resumed their former roles with acceptance. Mr. Rantock, as the rosy-cheeked curate, shared with Miss Lloyd and Mr. Bradfield in the honours of an encore for "Tarra-diddle;" Miss Rosseli had to repeat her graceful *pas seul*; and the Misses Crossland, Murray, and Lucas were encored for their demure dance as the three Quakeresses. "In Town" will only be repeated three more times nightly and on Wednesday afternoon, as on Thursday and Friday it will be replaced by "Gentleman Joe."

CRITERION—"THE JUDGE."

Arthur Law's farcical comedy entitled "The Judge," which was produced here some years ago, was revived at the Criterion Theatre on Saturday evening, and although it cannot be said that there was anything like the attendance that the merit of the piece deserved, the marked cordiality with which it was received from first to last furnished abundant evidence of the intrinsic merit of the performance. The fun, which simply ripples through the comedy, is evolved from the embarrassing and sometimes compromising positions in which Sir John Pye, a Judge on circuit, finds himself, owing to the escape of a woman who has been arrested on a charge of bigamy. Mrs. Shuttleworth, the woman in question, seeks temporary asylum in a house where the Judge is stopping prior to opening the circuit on the following morning. She is discovered by the Judge, who, finding that she is an old flame of his, so far yields to her pleadings as to undertake to screen her until she is able to leave the town. The position of Sir John is rendered still more unpleasant by the fact that Mrs. Shuttleworth has a baby in arms, which she induces her old friend to look after while she completes her preparations for escape. Of course she never gets much beyond the immediate precincts of the house, and as the Judge has two grown-up daughters who are being courted by two briefless barristers the Judge soon finds himself hopelessly involved in difficulty, which was rendered more onerous owing to the fact that he suffers from a chronic dread of becoming a victim to some infectious disease when the court opens. Mrs. Shuttleworth, being discovered by the Judge's two daughters, boldly avows that she is Sir John's wife, and makes the old gentleman's burden almost too great to bear. Out of all the various complications ridiculously funny situations are worked up, and the audience is kept laughing heartily until the curtain falls on the last act. The comedy is well staged, and is excellently presented by the company. Mr. William Elton's Sir John Pye is a splendid character sketch, and was well drawn in every detail. Mr. Elton was well supported by Miss Kate Bishop as Mrs. Shuttleworth, who proved his main support in bringing out all the strong points of the comedy. Miss Harrie Ireland and Miss Madge Corcoran made a charming pair as Daphne and Chloe respectively. Their acting was bright and intelligent, and in the last act their evening costumes were rich and harmonious in colour. Messrs. Mathews and C. M. Berkeley as the two briefless barristers also played carefully and well; and Mr. Ireland gave a clever sketch of Mowls, the Judge's attendant. Mrs. Walter Hill, too, gave an efficient rendering of the part of Mrs. Ricketts, an advocate of woman's rights. Mr. E. W. Thomas was effective as Mr. Shuttleworth, and Mr. J. Tolano got a good deal of fun out of the small part of Jacob Ricketts, an agricultural limb of the law. The principal members of the company were called before the curtain after each act, and there was no doubt of the entire success of the representation. The orchestra, under the direction of Mr. David Cope, performed a most enjoyable selection of music during the evening, and two items, namely "The Anvil Chorus" ("Trovatore") and the piccolo solo from "Silver Birds," were encored. "The Judge" will be continued until further notice.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

The Tivoli company achieved another distinct success in their new programme presented to a good house on Saturday night. The care and taste displayed, not only in the selection of the items, but also in their arrangement, coupled with the creditable manner in which the artists performed their part of the work, will doubtless ensure the popularity of the change for some time to come. Miss Ada Colley made her first appearance at this theatre, and was accorded an excellent reception; and the demonstrative applause of the audience was well merited, for the artistic and effective manner in which she contributed the "Echo Song" will unquestionably add to her fame as one of the leading music-hall artists. For the excellent rendition of this piece she was twice encored. Mr. J. W. Winton, who has fairly established himself as one of Sydney's favourites, gave another of his able ventriloquial entertainments. For over a quarter of an hour Mr. Winton had the audience in shrieks of laughter with his clever manipulation of no less than five figures and his wonderful imitation of different human voices. Mr. Harry Shine appeared in three new character songs, entitled "The Jap," "The Tearing of the Green," and "I've Had Them All;" and Messrs. Les Tines and Martini again scored a big hit in their acrobatic and trick tumbling performances. Miss Florrie Forde was unfortunately unable to appear on account of indisposition. The Misses Priscilla Verne, Millie Herberte, Florence Esdaile, and Messrs. Faning, Fred Leslie, Will Leslie, Pope, King, D'Ensem, Wallace, Foreman, and Fannan sustained their reputations in their different lines. A matinee performance, which was also largely attended, was given on Saturday afternoon, and the same programme will be presented nightly during this week.

THE EMPIRE THEATRE.

The big house at the Empire Theatre on Saturday night could not, on the rising of the curtain, restrain its admiration of the presentment of the Crystal Palace illuminated at Sydenham. It fittingly, however, prepared the audience for the light and lively programme which followed. Frank York and W. H. Speed filled the two end chairs, assisted by E. Holland and T. Delohery. They kept up a constant simmer of merriment through the evening with their burnt-cork comicalities and humorous exaggerations. A medley song by Miss Annetta Bodin was sprightly and neatly rendered, while Miss Lyola Thompson, with an assumption of earnestness and in good style, related peculiar circumstances in connection with a "Garden Gate." Miss Ettie Williams was seen at her best in a serio-comic song and was repeatedly encored. The Mayfield Sisters met with general approbation for the manner in which they performed a castanet song and dance. Mr. C. R. Jones sang "When Other Lips," and Mr. Chandler "The Old Brigade." Steve Adson, who has made his reappearance at this place of amusement, was incomparable in his dialect speciality. He hit off the oddities and foibles of different nationalities with a degree of truthfulness which convulsed the house. In the second part of the programme the three brothers Adani performed a somewhat sensational aerial act, which might have had a more than sensation termination. In presenting the "Pont du Diable," one of the brothers let the performer slip from his grasp. He fell into the net below on his neck, and one of the stays broke from its fastening. The result was that the acrobat bumped upon the piano. Had another stay given way he might have received serious injury. As it was, he was little the worse for his shaking. The act was a very clever one, and it was unfortunate that the fall occurred. Delohery, Craydon, and Holland, the dancing team, won new opinions by some original sketches. Mons. Hyman, the contortionist, made a lot of fun without any words, and distributed himself about in the most grotesque manner. Little Ivy Scott, tastefully dressed in blue and silver, sang a patriotic Australian song. A farcial piece styled "Fifteen Shillings" brought the entertainment to a close.

THE KRUSE CONCERTS.

There was a fine attendance at the Centenary Hall on Saturday night, when Professor Johann Kruse was heard for the first time here in chamber music. The knowledge that the Australian violinist was the leader for two seasons in the St. James's Hall Quartette (Saturday popular concerts)—a position filled both before him and after him by such artists as Joachim and Néruda—doubtless excited additional interest in Saturday's programme. The idea that it was his final appearance in Sydney was, however, dispelled by an announcement made from the platform at the close of the concert by Mr. R. S. Smythe. Professor Kruse had bowed several times in response to the continued enthusiasm, when the entrepreneur informed the audience that the artist had consented to delay his return to Melbourne in order to give one more concert (at popular prices) at the Theatre Royal next Wednesday.

Haydn's Quartet for strings, in C major (op. 76, No. 3), was chosen for performance,—a popular selection, inasmuch as the Kaiser Quartet is probably better known than any other in the whole range of chamber music. Professor Kruse was associated with Mr. Rivers Allpress, Mr. Herbert Rice, and Herr Hattenbach. All things considered, the combination proved an admirable one, though interest necessarily centred in the part so emphatically marked as "leading" by the composer. The other parts are obviously subordinate, and in this way all the more prominence was given to Professor Kruse's fine playing. So far as the leader was concerned, the rendering was masterly throughout, but there was this difference in the ensemble, that the adagio and the finale were better played than the other two movements. In the first allegro Professor Kruse's leading was of the most animated character, and all the players made cleverly the point by which towards the close the pianissimo effect is replaced by a double forte. However, it was the charming Poco Adagio Cantabile upon "Haydn's Hymn" that delighted attentive listeners by a better balance of tone. Professor Kruse again dominated the quartet, though where the solo theme falls to the second violin Mr. Allpress enunciated the melody with expressive tenderness. In the Menuetto the lovely phrases for the first violin enraptured the ear; but the great success of the ensemble was reserved for the finale, wherein the three strong incisive chords which constantly break the flow of the movement were splendidly given, whilst the volume of tone throughout was excellent. The applause at the close for all four players was of the heartiest.

The programme was over-long considering the quality of the music, which, for the most part, demanded close attention on the part of the audience. Professor Kruse's one great solo was De Beriot's "G major Concerto," the last of seven similar pieces composed by the great Belgian violinist. Professor Kruse, who in the earlier part of the evening had not been at the height of his powers, rendered this concerto with all the accurate brilliancy and sweetness of tone, combined with a certain saving breadth of style, for which he is famous. Professor Kruse opened the concert by joining with Signor de Beaupuis in Grieg's "Sonata in F major, op. 8," thoroughly well rendered, it need hardly be said, though the standard reached was not altogether equal to that attained by both artists on other occasions in specifically classic pieces. Signor Beaupuis played neatly and brilliantly Liszt's piano-arrangement of Paganini's "La Campanella," to which, in response to an enthusiastic encore, he added his own "Pensées Fugitives." Herr Hattenbach played agreeably Goltermann's "Cantilena," and with dainty executive power the same composer's difficult "Capriccioso." This took the house by storm, and the 'cellist then played a bravura concert piece—"Popper's "Polonaise." Mme. Elise Wiedermann sang with elevation of style and dramatic power Schubert's Apostrophe to the Almighty ("Die Allmacht.") The splendid music was finely played on the piano by Mr. Sykes, but the foreign language was a bar to the complete enjoyment of the aria. Great things were expected of the combination of Mme. Wiedermann, Professor Kruse, Signor de Beaupuis, and Mr. Sykes (organ) in the Bach-Gounod "Ave Maria," but for reasons which it would not be easy to define the ensemble yielded no more than a moderate artistic success. However, Mme. Wiedermann, as on Thursday night, gave a grand rendering of "The Erl King," in which her vocal style was of a finished character and her dramatic perception of the keenest.

THE STAR CONCERT COMPANY.

The young Russian pianist, Herr Mark Hambourg, having demonstrated his genius in treating various styles of music at his début on Friday night, crowned his triumph by playing Beethoven's "Sonata in E flat" at the second concert on Saturday afternoon. The audience at the Centenary Hall again included a body of keenly critical musicians and amateurs, and all alike were wrought to the highest pitch of enthusiasm by the rendering. The sonata in question is the third of a group of three composed by Beethoven in 1802 (Op. 31), and, though not so well known to the general public as the "Moonlight" or "Appassionata," is equally familiar to students of music. Herr Hambourg's interpretation, as might have been expected, did not follow the placid traditions of the Hallé school, but it was none the less artistic and enthralling. In the opening allegro, the exquisite grace of the movement was shown in the masterly technique which enables this pianist to do so much without the least apparent effort—when he really does bestir himself the effects are stupendous. But there was nothing of this kind in the "E flat Sonata," the style being well within bounds, though marked by animation and warmth. The captivating scherzo was rendered with intensity as well as lightness of effect; the melting melody of the Menuetto was given in classic style, with an astonishing pianissimo at one point which delighted every hearer; and the Presto, taken at the highest possible speed, was most exciting. Mark Hambourg, who is undoubtedly one of the few great pianists of the world, was recalled with cheers four times, and even after he had taken his seat at the piano the enthusiasm was so long continued that he had to bow several times before playing (as encore) Leschetitzky's "La Piccola." Herr Hambourg before this had played "Variations à la Clara Wieck," being the Impromptu Variations on a Romance by Clara Wieck, which Schumann dedicated to her father as opus 5. The artist's romantic interpretation of this composition was characterised by the effective way in which the sustained chords near the close were impressed on the audience. Herr Hambourg then played Franchetti's "Poca à Poco," with Leschetitzky's "Jeu d'Acon" as encore. In the second part of the programme Herr Hambourg's numbers were Chopin's "Nocturne in F sharp major," remarkable for depth of feeling and the crystal clearness of the tone in the softest passages, and Rubenstein's "Valse Allemande," rendered with brilliancy and colossal power of execution in the final portion. The encore was a "Waltz," by Leschetitzky—a bravura display of tone power and brilliancy.

The vocal music at these concerts furnishes a special point in their favour, inasmuch as much of it is new, and the old drawing-room ballads, of which our audiences are somewhat weary, are not specially in evidence. Miss Evangeline Florence, the new soprano, sang charmingly several compositions which her audience were delighted to hear. Grieg's beautiful setting of "Solveig's Song" was new, though the melody is included in the Norwegian composer's "Second Orchestral Suite" from his incidental music to "Peer Gynt."

Miss Evangeline Florence sang with delicacy and artistic feeling, and the plaintive refrain of the cry to the flocks below was rendered with an eerie effect of distance. Altogether the American soprano amply confirmed the remarkably agreeable impression she made on her début. She was heartily applauded, when she added as encore Henschell's "Water Babies." Miss Florence made another success with "Spring," an old song by Nash, the sixteenth-century author of "Pierce Penniless." Miss Florence displayed the full power of her voice in Venzano's brilliant aria "Ah che Assorta," and joined with Miss Lily Moody in two tender and poetic duets by Caracciolo—"A Streamlet full of Flowers" and "Nearest and Dearest." Miss Lily Moody, who is gradually recovering the entire use of her fine contralto voice, but did not feel well enough to accept encores, was at her best in "The Flower Song" from "Faust," and her dramatic feeling was of service in Stephen Adams's "This Work-a-Day World" and in Molloy's "The Old Street Lamp." Mr. H. Weir mystified many of his audience by singing (without notice) Mendelssohn's "The First Violet" in place of Rubenstein's "Yearning." The tenor was in excellent voice, and sang with taste on each occasion of his appearance. Herr Vollmar was the accompanist.

TOWN HALL ORGAN RECITAL.

Mr. Wiegand opened his organ recital on Saturday with Best's transcription of Beethoven's sublime "Hallelujah Chorus" from "The Mount of Olives," after which, by way of contrast, Ferdinand Hiller's andante from the "Pianoforte Concerto in F sharp minor" was added (Wiegand's transcription). In Couperin's "Sœur Monique Rondeau in F," the piccolo stop was happily blended with carillon effects; and Mr. Wiegand then rendered brilliantly Batiste's "Toccata in B minor." The operatic fantasia on "Aida" included the famous march, which was voiced in the rich and sonorous tones of the tuba stops. The programme also included Grison's "Marche Funèbre" and other pieces, notably an improvisation on National French airs. Mr. Wiegand chose for his themes, "J'irai revoir ma Normandie," "Partant pour la Syrie," and the "Marseillaise"—and the selections excited general enthusiasm. There will be another recital next Wednesday afternoon.

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS.

People had to be refused admittance some time before Professor Kennedy was announced to begin his entertainment, and the hall was packed like the deck of an excursion steamer at holiday time when the mesmerist appeared on the stage. He launched himself into the humorous part of his entertainment at once. Many new features were introduced, and all sorts of special trance situations had been provided, with the result that many who on this occasion made their first appearance on any stage gained round after round of applause, and were recalled in the most flattering manner. The entertainment went throughout with tremendous swing; indeed one continuous shout of laughter was its accompaniment.

A PRESENTATION TO IRVING.

The Lyceum Theatre on 20th July was the scene of the presentation of a unique testimonial to Sir Henry Irving from his brother artists. It was in recognition of his new honour of knighthood. The gift (says a London correspondent) was a crystal and gold casket of classical design, very beautiful, containing a book with 400 vellum leaves, bearing the signatures of 4000 members of the dramatic profession.

The stage and auditorium were crowded, and the most prominent actors, actresses, and managers in England were there. The address of presentation was made by S. B. Bancroft, who called attention to the fact that the book contains the names of Helen Faucit, who won a reputation as a youthful heroine with Macready, and also the signatures of veterans like the ever-young Mrs. Keeley, Lady Gregory, and James Doel, the oldest actor in the world.

Sir Henry Irving was evidently profoundly affected. His reply was a model of good taste and eloquence. He compared the action of his comrades to that of the ancient British warriors in carrying a soldier upon their shields, and declared the casket was above all worth as a shrine of loving memories, and no more honour could come into the life of a man who had been lifted high above the stage by his own profession.

LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6.

In Probate.—(Before Mr. Justice MANNING.)

RE M. J. BLACKMORE AND J. R. WATSON AND THE ACT 11 VIC., NO. 33.

This was a summons taken out by Mary Jane Blackmore, John R. Watson, and others, calling upon Frederick Curtiss and Gerald J. Barry to show cause why they should not within four days, or such other time as might be fixed by the Judge, deliver to the applicants or Messrs. Norton, Smith, and Co., their solicitors, a bill of costs, fees, charges, and disbursements over and above those included in the bills mentioned in the summons, which are now claimed by Messrs. Curtiss and Barry against L. T. Lloyd and Frederick S. Williams, as trustees of the will of Captain Thomas Watson, deceased, and payable out of the estate of the said Captain Watson; also to show cause why their bills of costs, fees, &c., to the amount of £181 16s, delivered by them to Messrs. Lloyd and Williams as such trustees, and also a bill to be delivered to Mary Jane Blackmore and others or their solicitors, should not be referred to the Master in Equity to be taxed, and why they should not give credit for all sums received by them for or on account of Messrs. Lloyd and Williams, and why they should not refund what, if anything, may upon such taxation appear to have been overpaid. The matter at issue, which is a very interesting one to solicitors, was argued at considerable length before Mr. Justice Manning, who on the above date delivered judgment. It was referred to him by the Chief Justice as a matter which in its nature referred to Probate practice. Mr. C. G. Heydon, instructed by Messrs. Norton, Smith, and Co., appeared for the applicants; and Mr. Ralston and Mr. Flannery, instructed by Messrs. John Williamson and Sons, for the respondents, Messrs. Curtiss and Barry.

After hearing Mr. Heydon, and without calling upon Mr. Ralston to reply,

His Honor said it appeared that from December, 1892, to January, 1895, Messrs. Curtiss and Barry received from the trustees various amounts, and the application was to have the bills covering these amounts taxed. With respect to £30 7s paid in October, 1893, and £57 2s 5d paid in December, 1892, he was of opinion that these bills having been paid for more than 12 months could not be referred to taxation; and in regard to the other bills, special circumstances must not only be alleged, but proved, before he could refer them to taxation. The facts appearing from the affidavits went to show that the whole of these bills of costs were, in pursuance of a recognised practice, referred to Mr. Garrett, Registrar of Probates, for moderation or taxation. These bills were duly taxed by the Registrar, of which taxation Messrs. Norton, Smith and Co. were duly notified and inspection of the bills furnished to them, and they also had notice that the accounts in the estate would be passed. The representative of Messrs. Norton, Smith, and Co. had ample opportunity of inspecting the accounts, and when before the Registrar he could have objected to the bills, and if any items had been improperly allowed the Registrar might have struck them off. That being so, applicants could not now come to the court asking for taxation. He was not concerned with the question as to whether there would be a considerable reduction if taxation was allowed. The Act of Parliament said that these people were entitled to taxation in the discretion of the Court, but only in special circumstances, if there had been payment. As a matter of fact these were not bills that had been paid without any consideration, but were bills from which considerable reductions had been made by the taxing officer, a gentleman of very great experience, and therefore to assert that special circumstances existed would be tantamount to supporting the position put forward by Mr. Heydon—that taxation in a rigid form was a special circumstance. If the Legislature meant that, it would have had no difficulty in saying so. For these reasons he must refuse the application with costs.

Order accordingly.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9.

No. 1 Jury Court.—Ingram v. Wadsworth (part heard), Cleary v. Lee, Doyle v. Alexander Cowan and Sons, Limited.

No. 2 Jury Court.—Byrnes and another v. Western and another (part heard), Kean v. Mamey, Dickinson v. Dunn and another.

No. 3 Jury Court.—Ostermeyer and others v. Harrold and others, Borough of Randwick v. Warby.

Darlinghurst Courthouse.—Grainger (administratrix) v. The Railway Commissioners (part heard).

Chamber List, at 9.30 a.m.—In re the application of M'Leod and another, Jacobs (inventor), to remove caveat; ex parte Rooke, habeas corpus; M'Indoe v. King, Abbott (claimant); Courier v. The Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Society, Iles v. The Balmain New Ferry Company, Limited.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Prothonotary: Beyer v. Sirgah, 10; Jewell and another v. Macansh, 11; Gotthelf v. same, 11.30; Tobin and others v. same, 12, in re gent., &c., 2.15. Before the Chief Clerk: in re gent., &c., 10.30; A.J.S. Bank v. M'Donald, 10.30; ex parte Ah Few and others, 11; Clewer v. Hunter, 12.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before the Probate Judge.—At 11 a.m.: Faber v. Thomas. Before the Registrar.—At 11 a.m., to proceed on account in the following estates: Patrick Hoban, John Howard, Joseph Dunstan, Monk Stephenson, Wm. C. M'Kay.

In Equity.—Master's Office.—At 10.30 a.m.: Simpson v. Heffernan, to settle minutes of decree; Robison v. Parsons, to settle minutes of order. At 11 a.m.: Noonan v. Prior, to proceed on accounts. At 2 p.m.: North Sydney Investment and Tramway Company, to proceed. Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 11 a.m.: Giblin v. Rowe, to tax costs. At 12 noon: Will of John Newton, deceased, to tax costs. At 2 p.m.: Commissioners for Railways and Tulloch, to tax costs; same, to tax costs.

Before the Judge in Bankruptcy.—At 11: In re John King, the Official Assignee v. the A.J.S. Bank, Limited, motion under section 153.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—At 11: R. R. Sharpe, public examination. At 11: Hearing of Creditors' Petitions: Isaac Herman v. C. W. Jones, Robert Saddington v. John Storer. James Poole, single meeting. Examinations under Section 30: E. W. Cook, James Poole.

Before the Chief Clerk in Bankruptcy.—At 2: In re Richards, taxation of petitioning creditors' costs. At 2.15: In re J. A. Campbell, taxation of petitioning creditors' costs. At 2.30: In re Black, taxation of Official Assignee's costs.

DISTRICT COURT.—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9.
(Before his Honor Judge Backhouse.)

For Judgment.—Austin v. Borough of Redfern, Borough of Redfern v. Austin, Vaughan v. Bordern.
To be Spoken.—Cohen v. Arnold.
Cases.—Harry v. Delany, Laul v. Dunbar.
Causes.—Sutton v. Booker, Mears v. Batson and Co., Borough of Drummoyne v. Jordan, Ireland v. De Witt, Healy v. Herrick, Palmer v. Shepherd, Beattie v. Wheeler.
At 4 p.m.—Potts v. Municipal District of Hurstville.
Court opens at 2 p.m. sharp.

POLICE COURTS.

A CANDIDATE FOR GAOL.

In the Water Police Court on Saturday a man named John Smith, 30, a plasterer, was charged with having broken a window of the Commercial Bank, Oxford-street, doing damage to the extent of £1 4s. Early on Saturday he was seen loitering in Oxford-street, and as soon as a constable got near him he threw a stone through the window of the Commercial Bank. When arrested he said he wanted to go to gaol. Smith was ordered to pay the damage, together with a fine of £1, or go to gaol for two months.

THEFT.

In the same court two young men named Thomas Johnson and Albert Wilson pleaded guilty to stealing two pairs of trousers, value 13s, the property of Albert Goldstein. They were ordered to be imprisoned for seven days.

THE EXPORT OF NEW SOUTH WALES TIMBERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your issue of Thursday last, 5th instant, there appears a letter on the above subject signed by W. Langley. It is a subject matter that at present is full of interest to those connected with the timber trade of New South Wales. Mr. Langley complains that certain timbers (now being exhibited in the Wool Exchange, Sydney, and supposed to represent some of our hardwoods' timbers after 10 or 12 years' use as street blocks) are wrongly classified, and such classification has been carried out by the Government of the colony through the Forestry Department. One sample, for instance, that Mr. Langley asserts is tallow-wood is labelled spotted gum; another sample labelled blackbutt is no doubt blackbutt, but it is such an inferior class of blackbutt that it is most probably from the Southern district, where this timber is invariably of a much inferior nature to that procured in the Northern Coast districts, and it would be highly injudicious to allow these samples (as from what I can learn it is the intention to so do) to be sent abroad with the official stamp of New South Wales on them as representing the best qualities of hardwood of this character. It would do an incalculable amount of damage to the trade in colonial hardwoods for street-blocking purposes.

While on the matter of our export trade, I certainly think it would be worthy of consideration by the Government of the necessity of securing the services of an expert in our timbers to be sent to England, America, and the Continent, with the object of properly representing the value of our timbers for various purposes. Our hardwoods are generally admitted to be the best in the world, and are now being used to a limited extent abroad. In support of the above appointment, I wish to point out that several gentlemen have been and some now are in England with the above object; but they invariably represent some particular district and some particular class of hardwood peculiar to that district, and they push the trade for their timber, and as a general rule condemn the hardwood of other districts, and as a consequence the consumers in England and abroad are in a quandary as to which class of hardwood is the best. I refer more particularly to the timber for street blocks. If a Government expert agent was appointed, he could represent matters in a proper light. Another matter: I understand inferior timber from another colony is shipped to Sydney and reshipped to London as New South Wales timber, to the great detriment of our trade.

New Zealand some time ago sent an agent to England with splendid results, Tasmania has recently followed suit, and I understand Victoria and Western Australia are also represented by their official agents. I am fully of the opinion that with a little fostering help in the above direction the export trade in our colonial timbers would grow to be a very large and profitable industry. Mr. Langley deserves the thanks of the timber trade for ventilating the matter.

Personally, I have not inspected the timber samples referred to; but I have the highest opinion of him as an expert in this trade, and presume the Forestry Department will investigate the matter referred to by him.

I am, &c.,
O. H. CHIDGEY.
September 6.

MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

ANNANDALE.

The fortnightly meeting of the above council was held on Monday (2nd September) evening, when there were present the Mayor (Alderman John Young), Aldermen Dwyer, Maxwell, Horton, Guthrie, Taylor, Ridge, Broad, Francis Smith, Wells, and Ferris. The Gas Company wrote, objecting to the names of streets being painted on lamps, and stating that they would do the work for the council for 1s 3d per lamp. The letter was referred to the lighting committee. A petition was received from 102 ratepayers, asking the council to take steps to do away with the nuisance caused by the soapworks in View and Trafalgar streets. A long discussion over the above petition and the inspector's report on the nuisance then ensued. The inspector stated that he had visited the premises of the company, and had left instructions that no boiling-down should take place without a license from the council. On the other hand, the owners stated that everything was in order, and that the Board of Health gave them permission to carry on. A resolution was carried that the council instruct the inspector to prevent the working of the factory until the Board of Health certified that it is not detrimental to the health of the residents.

ASHFIELD.

A special meeting of the above council was held on Tuesday night, when the business postponed from the last meeting was proceeded with. The Mayor (Alderman N. Melville) presided, and there were also present—Aldermen Mills, Stanton, Upward, Beaver, Dougan, Mills, Brown, Josephson, and Broughton. The following motion was carried:—"That so much of the works committee's report recommending that a vote of the ratepayers be taken on the advisability of erecting a crematory for the destruction of house refuse and nightsoil be adopted."

BOTANY.

A meeting of the Botany Council, presided over by the Mayor (Alderman J. J. Macfadyen, J.P.), was held on Wednesday evening. The Health Board wrote notifying the council that during the previous quarter there had only been three cases of typhoid in the boroughs of Botany and North Botany combined. The Mayor, in moving that the report be received, said he considered that as some boroughs had as many as 36 cases of typhoid in their midst during the same period, the report spoke well for the district of Botany. Mr. William Parker, J.P., returning officer for the electorate of Botany, wrote drawing the attention of the council to the necessity for the establishment in Botany of an office for the registration of births, marriages, and deaths. The Mayor said that five years ago the council endeavoured to persuade the Government to create an office for such purpose in Botany, but were unsuccessful. However, the population had now considerably increased, and the want of such an office became more apparent. Alderman Luland moved,—"That the letter be received, and that the council take the necessary action to secure the desired object; further, that a letter be written to the North Botany Council, asking their co-operation in the matter." The motion was carried. Mr. Dacey, M.L.A., wrote enclosing a letter he had received from the Railway Commissioners relative to the discontinuance of the gas-lighting along the tramline on the Botany-road by the Tramway Department. The Commissioners, Mr. Dacey stated, refused to alter their decision to no longer bear the expense or do the work of lighting the lamps, or of paying for the cost of the gas consumed. It was decided that Mr. Dacey's letter be received, and that the council allow the Railway Commissioners, who erected the lights, to do what they liked with them, the council withdrawing from the whole matter.

ENFIELD.

This council met on the 3rd instant, a full council being present. Alderman Addis took his seat as representative of the East Ward. It was resolved to petition both Houses of Parliament against the provisions of the land tax being levied upon lands situated within municipal areas. A letter from the National Association relating to the omission from the Governor's Speech of reference to the Local Government Bill gave rise to some caustic remarks. The Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade intimated that a special endowment of 5s in the £ would be paid on the past half-year's rates. The council proceeded to consider applications for the vacant offices. Mr. J. M. Hill, council-clerk of Walcha, was appointed clerk, and Mr. A. Campbell was appointed overseer, &c.

At the last meeting of the above council there were present—Aldermen Lipscombe (Mayor), Bolster, Matthews, Pilcher, Light, Hodson, Woods, and Eaton. The Municipal Association wrote, asking the council's support in a protest against the passing of a land tax prior to a local government bill. On the motion of Alderman Hodson, seconded by Alderman Wood, it was resolved to co-operate and to affix the corporate seal and the Mayor's signature to a petition to the Government. It was resolved to refuse co-operation with the National Association in a similar matter. Accounts amounting to £75 8s 2d were passed for payment. The balances reported were—General account, dr., £20 3s 9d; lighting account, dr., £99 0s 8d. The usual fortnightly reports of the overseer and the inspector were read and adopted. Council then went into committee for the purpose of considering applications for the positions of council clerk and overseer.

FIVE DOCK.

At Thursday night's meeting were present Aldermen M'Fadyen (Mayor), Lucas, Croker, Rodd, Ghest, Loxton, Dowell, and Myler. A letter was received from the Works Department, declining to comply with the council's request for £100 as compensation for injury to the roads through cattle-driving. The letter was received, and it was decided that the services of Mr. W. M'Millan, M.L.A., be enlisted in the matter. The Board of Health, in reply to the council's communication on the subject of the health of the borough, wrote drawing attention to the inadequate nature of the sanitary service. In reply to a communication from the Municipal Association, it was resolved that the council co-operate in the movement against the land tax, and that the corporate seal and the Mayor's signature be affixed to the petition. At the request of Alderman Myler, the Mayor promised his attention to the matter of interments in the borough. The Mayor reported that Sir Arthur Renwick had promised to give land sufficient to make a 66ft. road to Chiswick wharf conditionally on other owners doing the same. On the motion of Alderman Lucas, it was resolved,—"That, in the event of any ratepayers being desirous of increasing the width of the streets in front of their properties by dedicating to the council a strip of land with that object in view, the council will bear the cost of removing the existing fence on to the boundary of the land dedicated."

GRANVILLE.

A meeting of the council was held on Wednesday evening, 4th September. Present—The Mayor (Alderman Spears), and Aldermen Duncan, Kelman, Kirk, Bowden, Windsor, Finnegan, Kay, Irons, Marsh, and Lane. A letter was received from the Treasury stating that the sum of £295 14s 2d had been placed to the council's credit. The Mayor promised to push forward some of the works now that funds were available. The council went into committee for the purpose of considering applications for the position of inspector of nuisances, and, on resuming, it was reported that Mr. F. W. Barber had been appointed.

HUNTER'S HILL.

A special meeting of the Hunter's Hill Council was held on Friday last, the Mayor (Alderman Turner) presiding. The council considered a petition submitted by the Municipal Association to the Legislative Assembly praying that in dealing with the measure for the imposition of a land tax the House will in the first instance either pass a measure of local self-government, and thereby put all the people of the country on the same municipal level, or that it will make a fair and equitable exemption from such land tax in respect of those lands that are already under the provisions of the Municipalities Act of 1867. On the motion of the Mayor the petition was approved, and ordered to be forwarded to the member for the district. The Mayor announced that a deputation of the Ryde and Hunter's Hill Councils had waited upon the directors of the Australian Gas Company to obtain a reduction in the price charged for public lamps, and that the company had agreed to reduce the price £1 per lamp per year, which would mean a saving of £100 per annum to the council.

HURSTVILLE.

This council met on Thursday, the 29th August, when the Mayor (Hugh Patrick J.P.) occupied the chair, and there were also present—Aldermen Griffin, J.P., Smithson, Fred. Thompson, John Thompson, John Sproule, J.P., R. Newell, and C. Clough. Upon the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting Alderman Griffin moved,—"That the minutes of the 5th March last be read," when the Mayor said he would not care to have Alderman Griffin's request carried out, as the ex-Mayor (Alderman Bull) had refused so often to have this done. A passage at arms here took place between Alderman Griffin and Alderman Newell, when the Mayor called the aldermen to order, and the matter dropped. Messrs. Pile and Allum wrote suggesting that in order that they might affix the street names in the new books now being prepared of the assessments of the newly-annexed area at Peakhurst, the names of Patrick, Fowler, and Holdsworthy streets be adopted. Alderman Fred. Thompson thought that as Mr. Bignall was a large landowner at Como a street should be named after him as well as Mr. Fowler. The Mayor said he did not desire to have his name immortalised, and Bignall-street was accordingly substituted.

RYDE.

At the regular meeting of the Ryde Council on Friday, the 30th ultimo, an intimation was received from the secretary to the Australian Gaslight Company, that the directors had decided to reduce the price of public lamps from £7 10s to £6 10s each. The reduction will mean a saving of £100 per year to both Hunter's Hill and Ryde Councils. Both the National and Municipal Associations, by circular and petition, requested the co-operation of the Ryde Council in the direction of inducing the Government to reintroduce the Local Government Bill, or, failing that, to exempt landowners in incorporated areas from the provisions of the land tax bill for governmental purposes. While expressing a willingness to join any movement having for its object the reintroduction of the Local Government Bill, the council declined to express any opinion on exemptions in municipal areas, having decided to discuss no questions of a political character.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

Saturday was a quiet day in the mining market. In silver shares, Centrals changed hands at 21s 9d and 22s, and Mount Lyell at 71s 6d to 72s 6d. There was little movement in gold shares, the only sales reported being Crœsus at 13s 6d, Grand Duke 11d, Kapai-Vermont A, 10s, and Papuan, Charters Towers, at 17s 6d.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.
COPPER.		
Great Cobar	10	—
Lake George United	—	7 6
SILVER.		
British B. H., new	4 10	5/
Block 10	68/	—
Central	22	22 9
Junction	15 3	15 9
Ditto North	3 8	3 10
South	—	13
Central Block	21	41
Mount Lyell	71	72 6
GOLD.		
Baker's Creek	17 3	—
Band and A. Consols	8/	9
Brilliant Extended	10 7	10 6
BlackHorse	—	10 9
Brilliant St. George	40	40 9
Clark's Brilliant	2 5	3
Crœsus	13 10	14 3
Garibaldi	10 6	11 4
Grand Duke	10d	1
Hustler's Reef, No. 1	6 4	6 9
Kapai-Vermont A	10	10 3
Outta R	9 9	10 6
Maritana	16	16 9
Mt. Drysdale Proprietary	—	3 4
Mt. Gahan	3 7	4/
Mt. Morgan	55/	—
Papuan, C. T.	—	17 6

Sales.—The following sales were reported:—Silver: Central, 21s 9d, 22s; Mount Lyell, 71s 6d, 72s 6d. Gold: Crœsus, 13s 6d; Grand Duke, 11d; Kapai, Vermont A., 10s; Papuan C. T., 17s 6d.

THE PARRAMATTA GOLD FIND.

Mr. Wilshire, mining warden, visited Parramatta on Thursday for the purpose of inquiring into the application of George Hawkins for a mining lease of 20 acres in the Parramatta Park. Hawkins took Mr. Wilshire to the scene of the alleged find, and pointed out a spot just at the bend of the oak-avenue, skirting the river, about 4ft. under water. Mr. E. J. Brown, the secretary of the Park Trust, handed Mr. Wilshire a protest on behalf of the trust.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

THE WYALONG GOLDFIELD.

WYALONG WEST, Friday.

In many cases applications for the suspension of labour conditions are being granted, chiefly on account of the impossibility of getting stone crushed, and a large area of auriferous ground is being thereby locked up. The progress committee is moving in the direction of procuring a water supply for the field, as it is considered that with the arrival of the summer months a water famine will ensue. Prospecting is being vigorously engaged in, and fair results are anticipated. In some instances the average quality of stone now being raised compares favourably with that won in the earlier days of the field. Organ and party are on good ironstone below water level, and the Currajong party continues to raise first-class quartz showing gold freely.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

The market to-day opened with a healthy tone. The sales were:—Proprietary, 37s 6d, 37s 9d, 37s 6d; Block 10, 69s, 69s 6d; Block 14, 9s 5d; British, old, 8s 6d—new, 5s 4d, 5s 6d; Central, 22s 3d, 22s 4½d, 22s 3d; South, paid, 12s 3d to 13s—contributing, 11s 6d; Junction North, 3s 10d, 3s 9d, 3s 10d; Ivanhoe South Extended, 1s 10d, 1s 9½d; Ivanhoe South, paid, 26s 3d; Island Lake Austin, 6s 10d; Maritana, contributing, 16s, 10s 6d; Maritana Central, 1s 10d, 1s 10½d; Axiom, contributing, 1s 2d, 1s 0½d; Bayley's Reward, 8s; Boulder Central, paid, 8s 2d; Coolgardie, 29s, 23s 6d; Cosgrove Bayley's Reward, 6s 10d, 7s 2d.

BROKEN HILL, Saturday.

At the Junction mine the last 20ft. of the crosscut west from M'Intyre's shaft, at the 550ft. level, carries a lode formation, 10ft. of which is sulphides of most promising character, assaying 20oz. silver and 40 per cent. lead per ton. It is intended to carry this crosscut to the hanging-wall, when the width of the ore body will be fully determined. At present the face looks strong and clear, the sulphides being of a fairly friable nature. The winze from the bottom, or 450ft. level, has reached 67ft., all the way in high-grade ore. A vugh of some size was passed through, which carried phosphates assaying 70 per cent. of lead. The stopes at the three levels are looking excellent. The ore is being easily mined. The mill last week ran without a hitch, doing its usual good work. 100 tons of bagged concentrates were despatched during same period to Dry Creek. About 100 tons of first and 300 tons of second-grade concentrates are now lying on the ore floors.

BURRAGA, Saturday.

Mr. Carne, geological surveyor, has visited here to report on applications for aid from the prospecting vote. Mr. Ahrenfeld has inspected the Bonnie Dundee and other mines in this district on behalf of a Sydney syndicate.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Sunday.

Yesterday's sales were—Brilliant St. George United, contributing, 42s; Day Dawn Freehold, contributing, 3s 2d—paid up, 6s 2d; No. 2 West, 9d (4000 sold); New Brilliant, 10s 6d (800 sold); Queen Cross Reef, 12s 5½d; Warrior, 1s 3½d; Brilliant Worcester Victory, 2s 8d. The eight months' yield of the Charters Towers goldfield was from 160,288 tons, 162,714oz. gold, being nearly 5000oz. in excess of the same period last year.

GOULBURN, Saturday.

News from Bungonia states that wonderfully rich gold has been struck on Threadbare Point, Shoalhaven, by a party from Barber's Creek. It is reported that the average is 14dwt. to the bucket, and the ground is easily worked. A large number of men are now working in the Shoalhaven River, the beaches for miles being pegged out. Most parties are believed to be doing fairly.

GYMPIE, Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Smith reports that the Glanmire No. 1 North crushed 912 tons for a yield of 491oz. gold, and pays a dividend of 1s per share on Wednesday. To-night's quotations:—Caledonia United, seller 9d, buyer 8d; Great Eastern No. 2 North, seller 10d, buyer 7d; Great New Zealand, seller 2s 2d, buyer 1s 9d; Original New Zealand, seller 1s 10d, buyer 1s 7d; Nicholl's Lease, seller 1s 8½d, buyer 1s 5½d; Golden Pile, seller 13s 10d, buyer 13s; Smithfield No. 1 North, seller 15s, buyer 14s 9d; Brennan's Caledonia, seller 4d, buyer 2d; Victory No. 1 North, seller 1s, buyer 9½d; South New Zealand Junction, seller 2s 3d, buyer 1s 6d.

HILLGROVE, Saturday.

The Sunlight battery managed sufficient water to crush 122 tons of stone, which yielded 114oz. smelted gold. The intermediate level west has been advanced 5ft. for the fortnight, total 217ft. from the winze. The lode pinched at the same level east, in 60ft. from the winze lode, but increased to 7in., showing a little gold. No. 1 East is down 64ft., the lode being 4ft. wide, showing good gold, and another is down 50ft., the lode being 12in., showing good gold. The stopes at the back of No. 4 level are producing good average stone. Preparing to stope over the winze. The Eleanora battery worked uninterruptedly, crushing for the fortnight 500 tons of stone for a yield of 102oz. 15dwt. smelted gold, and 16 tons of roasted concentrates for the fortnight. Baker's Creek: Drive on No. 2 reef has been extended 16ft., carrying a strong reef. Stoping east and west of the winze. Five parties are tributing. The Starlight syndicate have let the mine on tribute for 12 months. Baker's Creek battery had a 13 days' run, and crushed 558 tons of stone for a yield of 687oz. 7dwt. smelted gold. The main shaft has been sunk 7ft. for the week, total 786ft. No. 10 level on Smith's reef has been driven 27ft., total 517ft.; reef being 3in. wide, carrying fair gold. No. 6 level on the big reef carries 6in. of fair gold. The reef at No. 7 level, and in all the stopes is unaltered from the last report. The West Hillgrove new smelter is completed and ready for work. The Garibaldi tributors crushed 15 ton. of stone for a yield of 16oz. 3dwt. smelted gold. Two tributors of the Proprietary mine dollied 20lb. of specimens this week for 2oz. 4dwt. smelted gold. There was not any rainfall this week.

LITHGOW, Saturday.

From Tarana comes the report that a Sydney syndicate has decided to vigorously prospect the neighbourhood for gold, silver, and copper. A good seam of shale is said to have been found at Little Hartley. Favourable progress is reported from the Sunny Corner district, and machinery is to be erected at Lagoon Creek. Several mining speculators have recently visited Burraga.

MACLEAN, Saturday.

Latest news from the Jerusalem Creek goldfield is very encouraging. As the result of another cleaning up Macauley's party brought to Maclean on Wednesday 65oz. It is said that at their claim, where six men are employed, they are making £10 per week per man. One of the claims is proving even richer than this, and a reliable report states that they are now turning a wash which is yielding at the rate of £20 per week per man. Just at present there are 10 men on the ground making not less than £5 per week, while quite a number of others are earning from £2 to £3 per week. The Minister for Mines has informed the member for the Clarence that, in compliance with the request of the Maclean Municipal Council, he has approved of sending an officer to inspect and report on the gold deposit on North Coast beach.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The principal feature of the market yesterday was the further improved demand for Broken Hill silver companies, sales in all the leading ones being readily made at rising prices, the market closing firm. Block 10 were especially again in great favour, and sold up to 70s 6d; Central Broken up to 22s 9d; South to 12s, and paid to 12s 9d; North Broken to 5s. Proprietary changed hands at 38s. Only a very moderate business took place in Western Australian gold companies. Axiom, contributing, were quitted at 1s; Crœsus, 13s 6d, 14s 3d; Lake View, 25s 6d. Others were without much change in the nominal value. A good many Victorian gold companies were dealt in, the principal being:—Madame Berry, 35s 6d; Berry West, £6 7s 6d, £6 9s; West Berry Consols, 5s 2d, 5s 4d; Black Horse, 14s 9d; Kohinoor, 6s, 6s 3d; South Star, 19s 9d, 20s; Star of the East, reduced price, 14s 3d; Chalks Freehold, 22s 4½d, 22s 9d; North Duke, 13s 4½d; Great Northern Consols, 14s 6d; Great Southern, 57s; Great Southern No. 1, 10s, 9s 9d; North Prentice, good extent at rising prices up to 42s; New Chum Railway, 29s; North Shamrock, 3s 11d, 4s; North Shenandoah, 12s 9d, 12s 10½d; Old Chum, advanced price, 7s; Shamrock, 7s 3d, 7s 6d; Shenandoah, 32s 6d, 33s; United Brothers, 35s; New Wyndham, 6s 2d.

MURRUMBURRAH, Saturday.

Great excitement is being manifested over reefing here just now, it having become known that Adams and party had dollied 14oz. of gold from 12lb. of stone out of their reef, the Conundrum, at the 95ft. level. There is on view about the same quantity of stone, of which some is literally hanging together with gold. Several of the blocks on the same line have been pegged out. When Mr. Slee was here he stated his opinion that the main reefs have not yet been discovered. The new 10-head battery has started on stone from the Lady Duff mine, and is giving satisfaction. The new washing plant is stopped, undergoing alterations, but will start again on Monday. There are about 300 loads of washdirt at grass. Kilminster and party have struck a new lead of wash in Osborne's paddock, giving from 2gr. to 4gr. to the dish, the sinking being 30ft. Several others have pegged out claims adjoining.

RETURNS.

The Broken Hill Proprietary Company, Limited.—Yield for week ended September 5:—Ore treated: Smelters, 6698 tons; bullion obtained, 697 tons; silver contained, 119,777oz.; average per ton of ore treated, 18·08oz. silver, 9·47 per cent. lead; amalgamation and lixiviation, 1788 tons; bullion obtained, 41 tons; silver contained, 30,468oz.; average per ton of ore treated, 17·04oz. silver, 2·29 per cent. lead.

Star of the East Company, Ballarat.—Yield, 261oz.

Baker's Creek.—559 tons crushed for 706oz. retorted gold.

Buchan Gold, Silver, and Lead Mining Company, August 31.—Have been timbering most of the week. Face looking well. Return from Harcsdale of jigged sand from face, Lead 52 per cent., gold 1oz. 5dwt. 11gr. silver, 14oz. 11dwt. 9gr. per ton.

Sunlight Gold-mining Company, No Liability.—Tons crushed, 122; yield, 114oz. Battery crushed 2½ days only. Short of water.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

New Crown of Peak Hill Gold-mining Company, No Liability, August 31.—New shaft: Contractors sunk 9ft., total 219ft.; no change to report. Mine: There is a fresh development in Great Eastern mine, adjoining our property, which may be of great importance to us. There is a huge quartzite lode, known as the Great Flint Bar, running right through our lease, and crossing our boundary at the Great Eastern mine; this large reef carried a little gold on its cap for a considerable distance, but nothing payable. The Great Eastern syndicate found a little shoot of gold on one side, and followed it down to a depth of 25ft., it being very small all this distance, but at this depth they find the whole of this reef some 30ft. wide, and worth about 1oz. gold to the ton; they have not gone on the course of the lode any distance to say how far the gold extends, but have only driven across it, leaving the same quality stone on either side. This lode, as I stated, crosses our boundary some feet from where they are getting the gold, and if this gold extends on its course must come into our lease, and could be worked from our main or new shaft. Battery: I have all necessary repairs completed, and will start crushing with about 250 tons from different parties on Thursday.

The mine manager of the Mount Drysdale Proprietary Gold-mining Company reports drive in 28ft. in the kindest-looking country he has seen since taking charge, and expects a favourable change any day.

The Eleanora Gold and Antimony Mining Company, No Liability.—Progress report for fortnight ended August 24:—Cleaned up to-day for 127oz. 7dwt. smelted gold from 520 tons crushed. Collected also sufficient concentrates to produce 16 tons after calcining. At No. 6 level the south drive is now in 27ft. from the shaft; the reef is very broken. Driving north has been discontinued, and a stope started to go over the roof of the chamber. This stone is being put through separately for a trial crushing. At No. 5 level stoping has been temporarily suspended for filling in. At No. 4 level am stoping above drive immediately under intermediate level; the lode is much the same as at the latter level, and is producing good battery stone. Tenders have been called for sinking No. 2 shaft 100ft., and operations will be commenced on Monday next.

Bayley's Consols Gold-mining Company, No Liability, Coolgardie, August 24.—The manager reports:—Distance sunk for month 10ft. 6in., total 210ft. 3in., leaving 6in. to complete contract, but as water was troublesome and country spurry I stopped the work, as little progress was made. There is a body of quartz in bottom of shaft fully 2ft. thick, well mineralised; can see no gold as yet. Tender accepted for cutting plat at 200ft. level, leaving 11ft. for a well. The plat to be 16ft. broad and 10ft. deep; opening set of timber, 9ft. high; second set of timber, 8ft.; and third, 7ft. if required. There will be a little over 3½ fathoms to be worked out.

Burbank Birthday Gift Mining Company, No Liability, Coolgardie, August 24.—Block 134, No. 4 shaft: West drive on lode advanced 6ft., total from bend in lode 14ft., lode 18in. wide, showing gold by dish prospects. No. 6 shaft sunk 2ft.; total depth 44ft.; have also timbered 30ft.; lode small, estimated yield 1oz. per ton. No. 8 shaft sunk 7ft.; total depth 22ft.; lode 3ft. wide; estimated yield 5oz. gold per ton. Block 135: No. 7 shaft sunk 6ft.; total from surface 48ft. Last crosscut from bottom of shaft advanced 8ft., and picked up lode below slide; lode 2ft. wide, estimated yield 2oz. gold per ton. Block 136: Costeening on quartz leader without favourable results. Blocks 1526 and 1527: Costeens without change.

Mount Allen Gold-mining Company, No Liability, week ending August 31.—Battery ran 138 hours, crushing 170 tons; total since starting, [illegible] tons. Stone obtained from the 100ft. level north-west drive, Reilly's winze, cutting north and south surface. Am stoping south of Reilly's winze, and driving north on west side to connect Nos. 1 and 2 winzes; also sinking winze below the 100ft. level, which is down 14ft.; lode without change. Driving to connect 32ft. level with Reilly's stope, and sinking to make passage for filling stopes with mullock. Water without change.

The Broken Hill Junction North Silver-mining Company, Limited.—Mine report for week ending August 31.—During the past week the winze in the 250ft. level has been sunk a further distance of 21ft., making the total depth 22ft. The sulphide ore in the bottom of the winze is replaced by country rock, but same may only be a boulder in the lode. In a few days' time will be able to form an opinion. Progress has been delayed, men having been engaged putting timber in position, portions of sulphide ore being rather friable and likely to come away. At 320ft. men have been engaged cutting chamber, and expect this work to be completed in a day or so; the frame set will be put in position forthwith and rising commenced to connect with 47ft. winze. From 45ft. level about 40 tons of ore is at grass. From 320ft. level about 15 tons of ore is at grass. Assay value of same to follow. Machinery working smoothly.

CHURCH NEWS.

MISSION TO THE HEBREWS.

At the conclusion of the weekly Sabbath service at the Great Synagogue at about noon on Saturday Mr. E. P. Field held a meeting for members of the Jewish congregation in the adjoining hall belonging to the M.U.I.O.O.F. for the purpose of endeavouring to convert them to Christianity. Only a few responded to the invitation. He made a passionate appeal to his auditors to thoroughly study the Old Testament in which they believed, and said that he trusted they would be enabled to see that the Messiah had already come.

SALE OF WORK AT MARRICKVILLE.

On Friday afternoon a sale of work was held in the Excelsior Hall, Marrickville, in connection with St. Clement's Anglican Church, Marrickville. The sale was opened by Miss Snowdon Smith, who was accompanied by Miss French. The Rev. A. E. Bellingham, M.A., presided.

The hall was most tastefully decorated with floral and other decorations, and the stalls were laden with fancy and useful articles.

During the absence of the Rev. J. B. Armstrong from the parish of Hay, diocese of Riverina, the duties will be taken by the Rev. E. Symonds, who has been for the past nine months curate in charge of Christ Church, Sydney.

DEATH OF MR. P. J. HEALY.

The announcement of the death early on Saturday morning of Mr. P. J. Healy, the well-known barrister and Crown prosecutor within the metropolitan district, came almost as a shock to the community, as he had so recently been fulfilling the duties of his position, and it was not generally known that he was ill. Mr. Healy was born in 1843 at West Maitland, receiving his education at the Grammar School of his native town under the Rev. W. K. Colyer. In the year 1860 he entered the University of Sydney, distinguishing himself in classics and logic under the late Rev. Dr. John Woolley, D.C.L. In his second year Mr. Healy became the first student to enter St. John's College, within the University. In 1862 he took his B.A. degree at the University, gaining at the same time Dr. Woolley's special prize for logic, and subsequently took his M.A. degree, afterwards reading for the Bar in the chambers of Mr. Edward Butler, Q.C. In December, 1865, he was admitted to the Bar of New South Wales. For a number of years he occupied the responsible position of Crown prosecutor within the metropolitan district, and on two occasions acted as Judge. As Crown prosecutor he specially distinguished himself in the famous baby-farming case in 1893, when Makin and wife were indicted for the murder of several infants. In that case he tendered evidence which no previous Court had decided to be admissible. The evidence was received; but John Makin appealed to the Privy Council on the point, and the Council held that the evidence was admissible and had been properly received. Mr. Healy died early on Saturday morning at his residence, Roslyn-street, Darlinghurst, from uræmia, leaving a widow and family of seven sons, the eldest being in Western Australia. His only surviving brother is Brother Stanislaus, of the Marist Order, and one of his sisters is Mother Sub-Prioress at the Bathurst Convent. Yesterday morning the remains of the deceased gentleman were laid to rest in the Roman Catholic portion of the Waverley Cemetery, the Rev. Father P. J. Walsh officiating at the grave. Many beautiful wreaths and floral tributes were sent by friends, amongst others from the members of the Bar, his Honor Judge and Mrs. Backhouse, Bro. Stanislaus and Mr. R. E. O'Connor, M.L.C. The chief mourners were—Messrs. Harold and Claude Healy (sons), F. Bond and W. J. Gallott (brothers-in-law), and among those who paid the last mark of respect to Mr. Healy's memory were—his Honor Judge Backhouse, the Hon. R. E. O'Connor, M.L.C., Messrs. F. E. Rogers, Q.C., B. R. Wise, W. L. Merewether, W. Edmunds, F. Smyth, J. Moriarty, Dr. Brissenden, J. Garland, A. J. Kelynack, F. Leverrier, P. J. Hourigan, T. J. Ryan, G. Wallace, A. C. Fraser, G. H. Smithers, S.M., W. W. Stephen, L. T. Lloyd, Alderman F. Penny, L.M., E. G. Ward, W. M'Elhone, G. Bennett, A. T. Harvey, J. Harbour, G. A. Lloyd, jun., F. Newton, P. Dimond, P. M'Sharry, H. E. and R. Spear, A. Boesen, H. Furse, F. Ward, J. Tobin, J. Carroll, and Bros. Kostka Victor and Aloysius.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS.

The quarterly meeting of the Metropolitan District Lodge, No. 2, took place in the Temperance Hall on Saturday afternoon. The lodge was called to order by Mr. G. H. Wigley, D.C.T. The credential committee reported favourably of a number of candidates for the district degree. The report was adopted, and the degree duly conferred. The executive reported that the returns so far showed a good increase in membership in the district. The convener of the aggressive committee (Mr. G. D. Clark) gave an exhaustive report of the work of the committee. The report showed that the Sunday afternoon meetings in the Domain were largely attended, and the speeches attentively listened to.

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SHIPPING REPORTS.

(Continued from Page 4.)

CUSTOM-HOUSE.—Entered outward: September 7, Titus (s.), 769 tons, Captain A. F. Mullock, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

Captain W. O. Hersee reports that the Bega left Eden at 8 a.m. on the 7th, called at Merimbula, Tathra, Bermagui, Ulladulla, Wollongong, and arrived at the company's wharf at 4.45 p.m. on the 8th.

The barque Lougana leaves Hoffnung's wharf this morning with general cargo and missionary stores for New Britain. She will then proceed to the Gilbert Group and fill up with copra on owners' account.

Captain H. Jackson reports that the steamer Tomki crossed the Richmond bar at 11 a.m. on the 7th, and arrived at Sydney at 7 p.m. on the 8th. Experienced light, variable winds with dense smoke along the coast to arrival.

Captain W. Knight reports that the steamer Glanworth left Brisbane at 5.10 p.m. on the 5th, passed Smoky Cape at 7.35 p.m. on the 6th. Experienced fine weather, light and variable winds, moderate sea, and hazy. Arrived at Sydney at 2 p.m. on the 7th.

Captain Farrell reports that the Electra crossed the Manning bar at 10 a.m. on 6th September; arrived in port at midnight same date. Experienced winds from N.E. to W., with a smooth sea.

Captain Featherstone reports that the steamer Oonah berthed at the company's Margaret-street wharf at 10 p.m. on the 8th instant. She sailed from Hobart at 9.40 p.m. on the 6th, rounded Tasman Island at 12.35 a.m. on the 7th, was abeam of Eddystone Point at 10.55 a.m., Barren Island at 1.50 p.m. same date, breasted Gabo Island at 3.10 a.m., Jervis Bay at 2.40 p.m. on the 8th, round South Head light at 9.20 p.m. same date, and arrived as above. Encountered fresh westerly breeze with lumpy sea to Gabo, thence fresh northerly winds, smooth sea, with hazy horizon, to arrival.

The Hawkes Bay goes to Moore's Wharf, and the Gulf of Bothnia to Cockatoo Dock, this morning.

The Hubbuck berths at Central Wharf to-day.

Captain L. Paulsen reports that the steamer Rosedale crossed the Nambucca at 8.30 a.m. the 7th, arriving at Port Macquarie at 2 p.m., and left at 5.30 p.m. the same day. Experienced light, variable winds with thick smoky atmosphere, the whole coast line invisible, to arrival. Entered the Heads at 2.15 p.m. the 8th.

Captain W. Hammer reports that the steamer Barrabool left Melbourne at 4.40 p.m. on the 5th, passed Wilson's Promontory at 1.30 a.m. on the 6th, Gabo Island at 5.40 p.m. same date, Cape St. George at 7.15 a.m. on the 7th, entered the Heads at 2.35 p.m., and arrived at company's wharf at 3.15 p.m. Experienced fresh westerly winds to Cliffy Island, and from thence to arrival light to moderate northerly winds and fine weather.

The well-known Sydney visitor Cairnbulg is back again to load here for London for Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co. She is nine days from Port Pirie, and anchored below Garden Island.

Captain Vincent reports that the Industry left Port Adelaide at 6 a.m. on 28th August, cleared the Gulf at 4 p.m.; from thence to Cape Nelson had strong S.S.W. winds with high beam sea; passed there 4.30 p.m. on the 29th. Cape Wickham, King's Island, was passed at 6 a.m. on the 30th, experiencing strong northerly winds with thick rainy weather. Arrived at Circular Head at 4 p.m. same date, leaving again at 10 p.m. Arrived at Emu Bay at 7 a.m. on the 31st, leaving again at 11.45 a.m. for Devonport, arriving there at 3 p.m. same date. Left Devonport for Sydney at 6 a.m. on 3rd September. At 9 a.m. barometer had fallen to 29.06. Experienced fierce N.W. gale, with squalls hurricane force and very high sea, attended with thunder and vivid lightning lasting 24 hours. Passed Hogan Island at 10.30 a.m. on the 4th, carrying strong W. to N.W. gale to Gabo Island, passing there at 3 a.m. on the 5th. Thence to Cape St. George had strong west wind with heavy gusts, fine weather, smoky; passed there at 6.30 p.m. same date. From thence to arrival had light to moderate N.W. and N. winds and fine weather.

Captain Mullock reports that the steamer Titus left Cairns on Tuesday, 27th August, Dungeness on Wednesday, 28th August, Townsville on Saturday, 31st August, Flat Top on Monday, 2nd September at 2.30 a.m. Experienced moderate N.W. and W. winds all down the coast. After passing Sandy Cape light on 3rd at 6.30 p.m., no land or lights were seen till the ship was down to Point Lookout, at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, very thick bush fire smoke prevailing all the way. Smoky Cape was abeam at 1.20 p.m. on Thursday, and Seal Rocks at 6.30 a.m. Friday. Tremendous bush fires, and immense volumes of smoke down the whole coast for 500 miles. A strong southerly current was felt between Danger Point and Seal Rocks. The Titus has a full cargo of sugar and other Northern produce.

The Ormuz reports speaking on Saturday the ship Torridon, Captain Wearns, 92 days out from London to Sydney, consigned to Messrs. Danger, Gedye, and Co., agents.

PASSENGERS BY THE R.M.S. LIGURIA.

The following passages are engaged by the Liguria (Orient line), sailing to-day:—Passengers—For London: Mrs. E. Phillips, Mr. Thomson, Mr. T. R. Mathewson, Mr. A. Harris, Mr. William Brown, Mr. S. Downes, Mrs. Edwards, Mr. Joseph Rosson, Mrs. Sarah Bennett and two children, Mrs. S. S. Bailey, Miss J. Hayes, Mrs. J. Cutching and two children, Miss F. Howard, Mr. Woodward. For Melbourne: Mr. F. J. Harvey, Mr. A. Lawrence.

THE MAIL STEAMERS.

The Australia is to come into the company's wharf to-day.

The Hohenstaufen arrived at Southampton on the 5th from Australia.

The Westminster arrived at Suez on the 5th, homeward.

The R.M.S. Carthage left London on the 6th.

The R.M.S. Oruba left Naples on the 1st, outward.

The R.M.S. Orotava left Colombo on the 2nd, outward.

The R.M.S. Lusitania arrived at Port Said on the 3rd, homeward.

The R.M.S. Orizaba arrived at Colombo on the 4th, homeward.

The Imperial German mail steamer Hohenstaufen arrived at Southampton on 5th September, 1895, days in advance of contract time.

The Massilia on Friday night arrived at Albany from London, and sailed on Saturday morning for Adelaide.

The Prinz Regent Luitpold arrived at Colombo on 6th September, two days in advance of contract time.

Albany reports 8th September, R.M.S. Orient arrived from Adelaide at 3.10 p.m., and sailed for Colombo at 5.15 p.m.

THE ORMUZ.

It was nearly 2 p.m. yesterday when the Ormuz made the port, having been delayed by thick weather, due to heavy smoke from bush fires. Captain F. M. Tuke, who is now in command, reports having left London at 1.5 p.m. on 26th July, arrived at Plymouth 0.45 on the 28th; after embarking passengers Plymouth was left at 5.50 p.m. the same day. Fine weather experienced to Gibraltar, which was reached at 7 a.m. on 31st July, to Naples fine weather was again experienced, the latter place being reached at 1.21 p.m. on 3rd August. Having embarked mails and passengers, left at 3.55 a.m. on 5th. Experienced fine weather to Port Said, which was reached at 8 a.m. on 9th August; after coaling left at 10.30 p.m. same day; had good passage through the Canal; left Suez at 1.29 a.m. on the 10th; throughout the Red Sea experienced fine weather; strong monsoons were encountered to Colombo, which was reached at 3.20 p.m. 19th; left again at 3.5 a.m. on the 20th; from Colombo to Albany had fresh to strong trades; arrived at Albany at 9.58 p.m. on 30th August, and having to discharge a large quantity of cargo left again at 9.55 a.m. the 31st. From Albany to Cape Borda strong westerly winds were experienced. Throughout the voyage the health of the passengers and crew has been excellent.

THE HUBBUCK.

The Hubbuck, of Lund's line, arrived on Saturday in port from New York. Captain F. Blower reports leaving on the morning of 22nd June for Cape Colony and calling at St. Vincent de Verde Island en route. Very fine weather was experienced throughout, and Cape Town was reached on 21st July, after a passage of 28 days. From Cape Town to East London, thence Port Elizabeth, Natal, and Delagoa Bay, the latter completing African ports, leaving Delagoa Bay 9.30 a.m. 15th August, for Sydney. Moderate weather was at first experienced, light S.E. and E.N.E. winds and moderate sea until lat. 45 S. was reached, where variable winds and considerable sea were encountered. Captain Blower reports an unusually low barometer, lasting several days, reaching 29.5, and subsequently had a westerly gale and tremendous seas. The most severe portion was felt making the Otway, which was reached on Wednesday at 10 p.m., strong westerly to north-westerly winds continuing about the coast, moderating off Gabo. The Hubbuck arrived in the harbour at 8.30 a.m., 7th September, after a passage of 23 days. She comes to Messrs. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., and loads for Europe.

MELBOURNE SHIPPING.

Our Melbourne correspondent last night wired:—The steamer Airlie, from Sydney, reached the bay late to-night, and the barque Glamis, bound for Melbourne, from Hamburg, was in sight off Cape Schanck to-day, and may therefore be expected to reach the bay at any time.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM COLLISION.

Our Newcastle correspondent last night wired:—The ship Lochee arrived from Table Bay. The ship Romanoff arrived from London, 88 days out; her captain reports having had a narrow escape from collision in the Channel with a large passenger steamer.

THE HAWKE'S BAY.

The Messrs. Tyser's steamer Hawkes Bay yesterday made the port from London. In future the visits of steamers of the Tyser line to these waters will be more frequent than in the past, arrangements having been now completed for a regular monthly service. The Hawke's Bay is still under the command of Captain Pelgate, who reports that, following the departure of the vessel from London on the 11th July, she called at Holehaven for explosives, and subsequently had a very pleasant run to Las Palmas, where she arrived on the 19th July. The object of her visit, viz., the replenishing of her bunkers for the long stretch of steaming, having been effected, the Hawke's Bay resumed her trip the same day, and still being favoured by ordinary conditions of wind and weather, crossed the equator on the 26th July in long. 12.5 W. As she proceeded south the vessel put in some good work, and crossing the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on the 8th instant, made her easting under tempestuous auspices on the parallel of lat. 45 S. A succession of heavy gales from the N.W. and S.W. prevailed, and, generally speaking, hurricane winds and heavy seas attended the vessel's movements until the 27th ultimo, when a brief period of comparatively fine weather was enjoyed, only to be succeeded, however, by a vigorous west-south-westerly gale, which continued for a couple of days. Melbourne was reached, and the voyage resumed on Friday. She is in excellent order, and has made a satisfactory trip. Captain Pelgate has associated with him the following deck officers:—W. Fishwick, Edward Howardine, and J. Bracegirdle, in the order named; whilst the engine department is still under the control of Mr. M. Dobie.

SALVAGE.

Two important cases were decided the other day in which excessive claims for salvage were made. In its comments on the results an English exchange remarks:—What is to be drawn from the cases may be briefly stated thus. Do not attempt to salve unless you are pretty confident of success, for if your tow goes to the bottom you cannot present her to the owners, and this being the object of salving, you will get no reward at all, and you will have spent time and money and incurred risk to no purpose. Do not attempt to salve if you think the vessel is of smaller value than the damage you risk doing to yourself; for unless she complies with the requirements laid down in the first case you may find your owners have lost by the transaction. As to agreement for salvage, you can define a maximum to cover the service to be rendered, but if circumstances prevent your rendering them, and you have contributed to a vessel's safety, you are entitled to an award for this. When you make a bargain, let it be reasonable or else it will be upset in a court of law. The present Master of the Rolls, Lord Esher, has stated that what is not good sense is not good law. Business men are sometimes unable to subscribe to this proposition, but in these cases, at any rate, the two seem to be in fair harmony.

VILLE DE LA CIOTAT.

The French Mail steamer Ville de la Ciotat left Marseilles on the 3rd August with 180 passengers. The weather was fine in the Mediterranean. Port Said was reached on the 7th at 10 p.m. Coals and stores having been taken on board, the start through the Canal was made at 3 a.m. on the 8th, and Suez was reached the same day at 8 p.m., and left again at 10 p.m. The run down the Red Sea was fast, and the anchors were dropped at Aden on the 12th at 10 a.m. There the ship replenished the bunkers, and started the same day at 8 p.m. for Mahé (Seychelles). On rounding Cape Guardafui the S.W. monsoon was met. At Mahé cargo for Madagascar, Bourbon, and Mauritius was transhipped to the mail steamer Ava. At 10 a.m. the homeward-bound mail steamer Armand Béhic, from Australia, hove in sight, and moored close to her sister ship, all being well on board. At 4 p.m. the La Ciotat started for her run across the Indian Ocean. From the 17th until the 24th the wind was blowing rather strong from the S.E., with a heavy sea ahead of the ship's course; on the 25th the wind, after shifting all round the compass, settled in the S.W. Albany was reached on the 29th at 11 a.m., and left at 11 p.m. on the 30th; strong N. wind and sea. On the 31st N.W. wind. Adelaide was reached at 9 p.m. on the 1st September, and left at 7 a.m. on the 2nd; strong S.W. wind and heavy sea. Arrived at Melbourne on the 3rd at 4 p.m.; left again on the 4th at 5.30 p.m. On leaving the Heads at 9 p.m. strong west wind and sea, which changed into a hurricane at midnight. It was quite impossible to approach Wilson's Channel in such awful, pitch-dark weather. Nothing could be seen, so the ship was hove to for three hours. She behaved splendidly against a tremendous sea, and then safely cleared, at 6 a.m., Wilson's Promontory, behind which two steamers had run to wait for better times. After that the sea was manageable, the wind remaining west, the rest of the trip being very agreeable. Reached Sydney on the 6th at 11 a.m. Captain Fiaschi has with him:—Chief officer, V. Alliège; chief engineer, L. Paul; doctor, V. Frontigou; purser, A. Furby. The steamer yesterday left for Nouméa.

THE A.U.S.N. COMPANY'S LINE.

The Arawatta is due from Melbourne to-day, and will sail hence on Tuesday next, for Brisbane and ports to Cooktown. The Cintra will sail from Sydney for Melbourne Wednesday, 10 a.m. the 11th instant. The Bolton, for West Australia, sails hence Saturday, the 14th instant. The Victoria, for Nouméa, Fiji, and Tonga, sails from Sydney Saturday next. The Katoomba, for the New Hebrides, sails hence Friday, 20th September.

A STRAIGHT ISSUE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your estimable leader of to-day should be carefully pondered by every elector in the colony, for it involves a great question which is too frequently disregarded, but which must be realised and acted upon if the people ever hope to have legislation in conformity with their desires. I refer to the absolute necessity of submitting a straight issue on the occasion of an appeal to the people. If the people desire reform, the only way they are likely to obtain it is to commence with an alteration of the existing system, which seems to press most heavily and injuriously upon the greatest number. The basis upon which the alteration shall be effected should be defined and submitted to the electors as being the first and all-important issue upon which their verdict is requested. What is the farce presented to us this morning as the result of the voting on the exemption clause of the Land and Income Tax Assessment Bill? The exemption of £475 from land taxation was carried by 76 to 14, and hence, as you so ably point out, constitutionally that decision must be taken to represent that the people are in favour of the exemption. Yet everyone knows it is not the case. Has not public opinion (in which all sections were represented) been freely ventilated through the press protesting against any exemption in the Land Bill? Has not your pen been repeatedly employed in writing down the exemption proposals? In fact, have not expressions of opinion been given in a host of ways, indicating that any exemption is repulsive alike to the supporters as well as to the opponents of land-value taxation? But 76 members of Parliament by their vote have said that the people, whom they represent, are in favour of the exemption, and so we are constitutionally forced into accepting what my experience has led me to believe at least nine-tenths of the people would denounce if the question was submitted to them in a straight, fair and square manner.

The sequel to this farce is what now concerns, for it is well known that the bill will not pass the Upper House with the exemption provided, consequently the straight commission entrusted to the last Parliament for immediate fiscal reform and relief to industry and commerce will not be carried out. Depression, stagnation, and starvation, under which the people have suffered so long and patiently, will continue, while a few members of Parliament engage in a constitutional struggle which will probably end in smoke, and all hope of progressive legislation which the people require will be thrown aside for years. All this comes of the folly of the electors accepting vague and indefinite issues at the occasion of an appeal to the country. The foolishness has been too largely indulged in, and prior to the election of 1894 no really pronounced policy was ever submitted to the people, but every candidate rather aimed at crowding into his platform every conceivable reform he could think of, whether he understood anything about it or not, always selecting those which appeared likely to best suit the particular interests of the constituency. It was the realisation of this block to the enactment of the real wishes of the people which led those who initiated the formation of this league to define the immediate policy of the freetrade party, and to make it the first and all-important issue for the general election of July last year. The success of that appeal in a general sense is wellknown; but the soundness with regard to a land tax of many of the members who were returned is doubtful, for the reason that the organising efforts of the league were very seriously impeded by the illogical action of the present Premier, who declared himself in full sympathy with the league's platform, but would persist in taking a separate course in order (to quote his own words) "that he might secure the support of all those good old freetraders who hate a land tax, and won't have it at any price." This was carried on by the Premier and several of his colleagues during the whole period of our organising efforts prior to the election of 1894; and it will also be remembered that about six weeks before that appeal a freetrade council, composed of representatives of the old school above referred to, was formed, at the instigation of Mr. Reid, to act independently of our league in the conduct of the election; and we now have it on the authority of Mr. C. H. Morton, M.P., that he and others engineered the rejection of Mr. Wise from that body solely on account of his advocacy of land value taxation.

The formation of this council confused the electors, and weakened our efforts very materially in the direction of according support to the candidates in various electorates who was really sound on the question at issue, consequently it will be seen how, in a great measure, the support given to the exemption proposals in the last Parliament is to be accounted for. Not because the people desired it, but because many of the successful candidates either did not thoroughly understand the principles of land value taxation or were actually opposed to them. Now, Sir, prior to the last appeal to the people I pointed out on many occasions the danger of obscuring the direct issue of fiscal reform by an appeal on a reform of the Upper House; and in an interview with a representative of the *Herald* which was published on 5th July I stated that the proposals the Government submitted to the last Parliament were not those the people had demanded, that the immediate abolition of all duties of customs (save on narcotics and stimulants) was required in order to prevent the protracted unsettlement of industrial and commercial interests; and that no question of exemption from land value taxation had been submitted to the country or authorised by it. I suggested that the proper course to adopt was to ask the people to confirm the verdict they had recorded at the general election of 1894, which would place the House in a strong position to demand respect from the Council. This I finally showed could not be done by overshadowing the fiscal measures with Upper House reform, and that trouble would certainly follow. I trust, Sir, the electors will consider well over the situation, for we are never likely to make any material progress towards reform until they consolidate their efforts, decide to deal with one great question at a time, and refuse to permit their attention to be directed into another channel until it is accomplished.—I am, &c.,

WILLIAM HARDING,
Hon. General Secretary the Freetrade, Land, and Reform League of N.S.W., September 6.

THE TUMUT ELECTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—To the readers of your valuable paper the paragraph announcing the result of the recount of votes by the Elections and Qualifications Committee will appear to be rather curious. How it is possible out of the total number of votes now recorded for the two candidates (Jones, 476; Channon, 461) there should have been a mistake of 15 is, to say the least of it, strange. We have it on the Treasurer's authority that the cost of the recent elections was about £26,000, a portion of which was expended in fees to the returning officers and clerks for counting and checking the returns. It may be urged that the informal votes accounted for the alteration in the result. In other words, what the returning officer considered informal the Elections Committee thought otherwise. But surely, Sir, these errors or differences of opinion should not occur. The law or custom dealing with such matters should be so clear that the chances of mistakes ought to be reduced to a minimum. It is not necessary to refer to the possibility of a sitting member being illegally in possession of his seat in cases of close contests which have not been referred to the Elections Committee; but the one under discussion leads me to believe that such events are quite possible. No human systems are perfect; but in the mere counting of votes at Parliamentary elections one would think that errors of simple calculation or judgment should be few and far between.

I am, &c., PRESCOT.

AN INTERVIEW WITH PRINCE BISMARCK.

The *New York Herald's* Berlin correspondent, writing on the 18th July, says:—I found Prince Bismarck to-day at lunch looking the picture of health, and in excellent spirits. His historical long pipe was in his hand, and he was puffing lustily. His only trouble is persistent neuralgia and faceache, principally at night, just as it has been for years past. All other accounts of his condition are ill-natured and baseless gossip. "The muscles of my face," he said, "are like a set of electric bells—once put in motion they will not stop. Dr. Schweninger wants me to go to Gastein, but I hope to stay here with my home comforts right through the summer. Some people suggest my going to Egypt," he added, humorously, "but my reason for declining is that I would rather be buried than live there." His conversation shows that he still feels bitter over the loss of Princess Bismarck, and his consequent loneliness is only mitigated by the devotion of his children. Prince Bismarck takes a keen interest in the English elections, with which he is thoroughly conversant. He is very much concerned about Lord Rosebery's health. During Dr. Schweninger's absence in Norway, Prince Bismarck's family carefully restricted the number of visitors, and hence, probably, the source of malicious inventions as to the Prince's health. Prince Bismarck has received 38 different deputations in eight weeks, involving speeches and entertaining, surely enough to try the nerves of one in the prime of life. The Prince expressed his sympathy for M. Stambuloff, in whose personal character he paid due tribute. He believed the instigator of the outrage was not a Russian, but Macedonian and other revolutionary elements.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY EVENING.

On the Sydney Stock Exchange to-day the following sales were reported:—North Coast Steam Company, 13s 9d; City Mutual Insurance, 2s 1d, a rise of 1d; United Insurance, 72s 6d, an advance of 1s. Business during the week has been moderately good, more particularly in mining shares. The inquiry for investment stocks has been rather restricted. Government securities, however, have been in good request, and New South Wales funded stock has been sold at up to 107. In banks New South Wales have receded ½, and Union of Australia ¼, the shares of others being unaltered on the week. Deposits of the reconstructed banks continue to be inquired for at current rates. In steam North Shore Ferry have risen 9d and North Coast 3s, others being firm at late rates, very little business being done in them. Insurance shares likewise have had very little attention, United and City being rather dearer. Australian Gaslight shares have been steady at 14½, though offered at the close at that figure, North Shore Gas being 9d firmer. Castlemaine Breweries are 3d lower. Among miscellaneous securities there has been a rise of ¼ in Colonial Sugar, and in Sydney Hydraulic of 6d, Perpetual Trustee being a trifle stronger. The closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of Shares.	Amount paid up.	Last div. per annum.	Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.
FUNDED STOCK.	£	£	£	p.c.			
N.S.W. Act 1892	...	...	...	4	107	105½	...
Ditto Act 1873	...	...	...	4	...	105½	...
Ditto Debent'rs 1902	...	...	...	5	...	108	111
N.Z. Deb., 1913	...	...	...	4	104½	103½	...
Colonia Sugar Deb. 5 1900	...	...	...	...	103½	...	...
Due 1898	...	...	...	...	103	...	...
Due 1897	...	...	...	...	102	101	...
Due 1901	...	...	...	...	104½	103	...
Mort's Dock, due 1896	...	...	...	...	...	100	...
BANKS.							
Australian J. S.	1,150,846	10	7	4	49/	32/6	41/
City	240,000	10	8	5	88/	80/	90/
New Issue	160,000	10	6	...	8/	80/	90/
Com. of Syd., A.	912,905	12½	12½	8	18½	14½	18½
Ditto, B.	...	12½	10	...	15½	15½	16
Natn. of Aust.	1,472,650	10	10	2½	12 9	...	...
Do., Preference	...	10	10	3	...	...	...
N. S. Wales	1,885,540	20	20	9	39	...	39
Ditto, New	...	...	...	...	39½	...	...
Ditto, Rights	...	...	...	...	*42 6	...	...
Q'land National	748,000	8	5	3	...	...	...
Royal of Q'land	300,000	9	4	...	...	...	...
Union	1,500,000	75	25	5	27½	27	28
Com. of Aust.	1,000,000	10	6½	...	...	...	...
Ditto, Prefer.	2,106,780	10	10	...	30	...	...
DEPOSITS.							
A.J.S. Bank, Negotiable	...	...	...	...	*16 3	16/	16 3
Ditto, due 1897	...	...	...	...	16 6	...	...
Inscribed	...	...	...	...	13 6	13/	14/
Com. of Sydney	...	...	...	...	120/	120/	...
Q'land National	...	...	...	...	15/	15/	...
North Q'land	...	...	...	...	17 3	...	...
E., S., and A.	...	...	...	...	15/	14 9	...
Ditto, Inscribed	...	...	...	...	12 8	12 9	...
Ditto, Debent'es	...	...	...	...	15 9	15 3	15 9
Ditto, Term'ble	...	...	...	...	15 6	18/	16 6
Com. of A., 1898	...	...	...	...	17 3	...	17 3
Nat. of Aust.	...	...	...	...	17 9	17 6	...
STEAM.							
Newc. and H.R.	100,000	1	1	8	13 3	13/	13 9
North Coast	121,748	1	17 6	6	13 9	...	14/
Illawarra	58,036	5	3½	7½	85	80/	90/
N. S. Ferry	60,000	1	1	10	30 4½	30/	40/
Port Jackson	49,800	5	4 3	...	1 6	...	1/
INSURANCE.							
A. M. Fire	25,000	1	5/	25½	16 6	...	16 6
City M. Fire	15,000	1	2	10	2 1	2/	2 2
Merc. Mut.	18,750	1	2 6	25½	6 2	6/	6 4
N. Zealand	200,000	10	2	12½	...	...	...
United	62,500	10	2½	12½	72 6	72/	...
Ditto, New	5,725	10	12 6	12½	16/	16/	...
GAS.							
Australian	681,798	6	6	9	14½	14½	14½
City of Goulburn	10,000	1	1	9	30 6	30/	31/
North Shore	82,517	1	1	6	21/6	21/6	22/
Manly	...	...	1	7	20/	...	...
Grafton	...	...	...	...	...	...	20/
Newcastle Gas	25,127	2	2	12½	...	77/	80/
BREWERIES.							
Australian	96,000	1	1	5	12/	11/	13/
Castlemaine and Wood Bros.	250,000	1	1	7	18 3	...	18/
Marshall's	93,750	1	15/	...	1/4	1 4	1/6
Perkins's	58,333	15	15/	10/	13/	14/	...
Tooth's	900,000	1	1	7	17 9	17 9	...
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Aarons'	17,500	15/	10/	5	4/3	4/	4 3
Colonial Sugar	1,620,280	20	20	10	22½	22¼	22¼
Ditto, £10 paid	1,870	20	10	...	15½	...	...
Dalgety and Co.	1,000,000	20	5	8	88 6	...	...
Emu Gravel	31,000	1	1	2½	...	...	10/
Eagle Tobacco	71,260	15	15/	...	3/10	3/6	...
Hudson Bros.	150,000	10	10/	...	...	/1	/4
Richardson and Wrench	60,000	1	1	5	7/6	6 6	7 6
Shale and Oil	67,250	1	13 3	6½	4/	3 10	4 3
Syd. Exchange	50,000	10	10	3	16½	...	17½
Syd. Hydraulic	75,000	1	10/	6	15 6	15 4	15 9
Melbourne Tr'm	480,000	1	10/	5	14 3	13 6	...
Sdy. Tramway.	107,806	5	1	20	77 3	75/	78/
B.H.W. Supply	180,500	1	1	7½	9 4½	9/	10/
INVESTMENT AND FINANCE.							
Mont de Piété	70,973	1	1	10	27/	27/	28/
Ditto, new	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perm. Trustee	25,000	5	2 6	...	2 2	2 2	2/3
Perpet. Trustee	25,000	10	5/	6	8/	8/1	8 6
Land & B'ld'g	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Industrial Prov.	113,525	20	20	7	14½	14¼	14¾
Syd. & Sub. Dep.	...	...	...	...	12/	...	...
Syd. Freehold	18,750	1	7 6	11	8 11	...	...

* Due 1st November, 1895. * With five months' interest. ‡ And interest.

The monetary situation is without material alteration. City traders have met their monthly bills fairly well; country houses not quite so satisfactorily. The advance in wool brightens the outlook, though it is unfortunately offset by a drought in the west and north of the colony, the winter rains so far having been unusually light. But it is hoped that the equinoctial season will bring a downpour. The London wool-buyers for the approaching sales are now in the colonies or on the coast; and within a month work will begin in earnest in the auction rooms. Private sales at high prices show that buyers are alive to the strength of the world's position of the article; and as this is now higher than at the corresponding period of last year, growers have better prospects.

Bank rates continue steady, being quoted as follow:—Deposits: 12 months, 3½ per cent.; 6 months, 2 per cent. Discounts: 3 months' bills, 6 to 6½ per cent.; 4 months', 7 per cent.; overdrafts, 7 to 7½ per cent. Exchange rates on London are now quoted:—

	Buying.	Selling.
On demand	Par.	30s per cent. premium
At 30 days' sight	Par.	22s 6d per cent. premium
60 days' sight	5s p.c. disc'nt	15s per cent. premium
90 days' sight	12s 6d p.c. disc.	10s per cent. premium

The rates for colonial and intercolonial exchanges are as follows:—On New South Wales, 2s per cent.; Broken Hill, ½; Wilcannia, ¼; on Queensland, as far north as Rockhampton, ¼; Townsville, ½; north of Townsville, 1; Victoria, ¼; Tasmania and South Australia, ⅛; Western Australia—Perth and Fremantle, ¾; Cue, Coolgardie, Kanowna, Day Dawn, and Roebourne, 1½; other parts of Western Australia, 1; New Zealand, ½ per cent.

The following table shows the Bank of England figures, quotations for Consols and New South Wales 3½ per cents., and money market rates and prices of principal Australian commodities, in comparison with the figures for the years 1893 and 1894:—

—	Sept. 6, 1893.	Sept. 5, 1894.	Sept. 5, 1895.
	£	£	£
Coin and bullion	26,273,205	39,814,000	41,642,000
Circulation	26,171,365	25,720,000	26,556,000
Public deposits	3,215,567	4,478,000	6,102,000
Other deposits	28,748,728	33,589,000	46,943,000
Government securities	9,989,341	11,740,000	14,792,000
Other securities	24,087,429	19,492,000	24,698,000
Reserve of notes and coin	16,551,930	30,894,000	31,866,000
Percentage of reserve to liabilities	51·30	70·26	59·88
Bank rate of discount, p.c.	5	2	2
Market rate, p.c.	3	¾	¾
Goschen's Consols	97½	102½	107¼
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1924	92½	101½	106
Silver, per oz.	33⅞	29 13-16d	30 9-16d
Wheat, Adelaide, ex warehouse, per quarter	33/6	24/6	25/6
Wool, N.S.W. average greasy, per lb.	7¼d	7⅞d	8¼d
Tin, per ton	79½	71¾	64⅝
Copper, per ton	42¾	40	40⅝
Australian mutton, per lb.	2¼d	2¼d	3⅛d
Australian mutton tallow, medium, per cask	26/	24/6	21/6

A year back the bank's stock of coin and bullion had reached unprecedented limits, but, as will be seen, it has now exceeded them by nearly £2,000,000 sterling, and on the two years there has been an increase of over £15,000,000. The reserve also, which was then very large, is now £962,000 more. Other deposits amount to a "record" total, being £7,500,000 in excess of the amounts at the corresponding period of last year, and no less than £18,200,000 in excess of the total two years back. Although copper, tin, and wheat are slightly lower on the week, all of them except tin, together with wool, silver, and meat, are higher than they were in the corresponding period of 1894.

The opening of the new butter factory at Berry to-day, which claims to be the most complete of its kind in this colony, and indeed in Australia, lends interest to the following statistics of the growth of the Anglo-Australian butter trade, which we take from the prospectus of the Colonial Consignment and Distributing Company:—

—	1886	1890	1894
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Foreign Countries	1,509,375	1,989,730	2,290,225
Channel Islands	569	458	251
British East Indies	2,120	1,827	1,368
Canada	31,522	15,195	20,697
South Australia	...	409	1,478
Victoria	...	8,708	195,308
N. S. Wales	30	7,003	34,561
Queensland	...	60	...
New Zealand	101	94,318	65,626
Total	1,543,506	2,037,717	2,614,835

From a first shipment of 131cwt. in 1886, the Australasian supply in 1894 had reached the total of 292,097cwt., of which Victoria furnished 190,398cwt. and New South Wales 34,581cwt. In eight years the trade of Australasia had so increased as to furnish 11·3 per cent. of the whole supply provided to the United Kingdom. Of the total increase of 750,000cwt. supplied to the mother country, 290,000cwt., or 38 per cent., was furnished by these colonies. When it is borne in mind that the demand for the increasing population of the United Kingdom is growing at the rate of over 100,000cwt. per annum, that the area of Denmark, which supplies about a million cwt., or one-half of the British import, is limited, scope for the extension of the industry in these new lands is apparent.

The board of the Sydney Freehold Land, Building, and Investment Company has declared a further distribution of 4d per share out of the accumulated assets.

IMPORT MARKET.

The week now closing has not been characterised by any great buoyancy. Unsettlement of tariff conditions still has an extremely pernicious effect, although all lines did not suffer in equal ratio. Such dutiable goods as country storekeepers and distributing houses usually keep heavily stocked are moving off very slowly, importers, distributors, and retailers alike endeavouring to allow their stocks to run down to the very minimum before the duties are finally removed. Other departments, such as hardware, suffer no less acutely, but in a different way. With a rapidly advancing market in London, as announced by cable, importers find it impossible to reap the full benefit of the improvement at the source of supply, and must be content with making sales at prices but slightly, if at all, above those recently ruling. The improvement, however, has had this effect—that whereas while the market in England was quiet, importers here were only too glad to place good lines at prices hardly covering cost, they now show no disposition to go this length. Several very substantial lines of fencing wire, bar iron, galvanised corrugated iron, tinplates, and cement have been cleared during last week. Nothing new can be recorded regarding breadstuffs, both millers and bakers operating as sparingly as their immediate requirements admit of. Prices may be nominally quoted at 3s 5d to 3s 6d per bushel for wheat, and £8 5s to £8 10s for roller flour.

The heavy stocks of sugar placed on the market early in the week have now been satisfactorily absorbed, and the demand for bright, grainy yellows continues to materially improve. Sugars may be considered at the present moment one of the best properties in importers' hands. Teas, on the other hand, present a very different aspect. Right throughout the season shippers have been forced to sell at prices which very often did not even cover cost; and although the markets in China, Ceylon, and India have improved as the season advanced, the market here seems to be going from bad to worse. At the auction held in the middle of the week a comparatively insignificant portion of the catalogues were placed at prices in no way satisfactory from importers' point of view. Later on some improvement occurred, and brokers anticipate a better outlook for the future.

The demand for malt liquors is naturally still on the increase, but shipments are quite able to meet the consumption. As regards spirits there is little new to record. Hennessy's brandy has receded somewhat owing to heavy supplies being near at hand, while geneva does not show the activity experienced last week after the receipt of the news of an advance in London. Currants were steady without any extraordinary demand, while sultanas and elemes ruled very quiet. As far as can be gathered from the European circulars, the action of the Greek Government in curtailing the output is likely to have the effect of hardening the market for the new crop. As the market has scarcely opened yet it is rather early to anticipate, and quotations now being received cannot be said to be much criterion as to the future.

Jute goods were a little irregular owing to the arrival of the Clitus with additional supplies. Woolpacks showed but little alteration, but branbags were decidedly easier and cornsacks, both for present and forward delivery, were more favourably looked upon. Kerosene sold slowly at the reduced figures now current. In chemicals, caustic soda, cream of tartar, and quicksilver showed some activity, the two former lines being placed at advanced rates. There was also a little speculation in camphor early in the week in response to a cabled advance in Formosa for the raw material.

Our weekly summary of prices current as between distributing houses and their customers is subjoined:—

Brewers' Goods: Malt, English, 6s 4d to 7s; ditto, New Zealand and Victorian, 6s to 6s 3d. Hops, Kent, nominal; ditto Tasmanian, 7d; ditto, American, 8d; Brewers' crystals, 23s.

Candles: De Roubaix Jenar, 6½d; De Roubaix Oedenkoven, 6¼d to 6½d; Gouda, 6¼d to 6½d; Schiedam Apollo, 6¼d to 6½d; paraffin, 6d to 6½d; colonial, 5d to 6½d.

Coffee, &c.: No. 1 Ceylon Plantation, 13d to 13½d; American, 13d; Barry's chicory, 2¼d; colonial, 5d. Cocoa, Epps's, 1s 5½d to 1s 6d; Fry's, 1s 5d; Parsons', 1s 2d; Taylor's, 1s 3½d to 1s 4d; Van Houten's, 3s 6d per lb.; cocoatina, 12s 6d.

Contractors' Materials: Timber, Oregon, 11s; Baltic, 7in., 10s 6d; flooring, 14s 6d; cement, 11s to 12s; plaster, large barrels, 12s 6d to 13s; slates, Welsh, £10 10s; blasting powder, 6d to 6½d; dynamite, convention rate 1s 8d, other makes from 1s 3d; barbed wire, 14s to 15s.

Dried Fruit, &c.: Currants, 3¼d; elemes, 4¼d to 4½d; sultanas, 4¼d; muscatels, 12d to 13d; prunes, 7¼d to 15d; figs, 6s; dates, 2¼d; soft-shell almonds, 6d; Barcelonas, 3½d; walnuts, 3½d; dried apples 7d to 7½d, evaporated 8d; candied peel, colonial 9¼d, English 9¼d to 1s.

Drugs and Chemicals: Cream of tartar, jars 11d, kegs 10d; tartaric acid, 1s to 1s 1½d; citric acid, 2s; caustic soda, 70 per cent., £10 15s; carbonate of soda, £9 5s; soda crystals, 4s; soda ash, £8; bluestone, 21s; Epsom salts, 7s; saltpetre, 32s 6d; silicate of soda, £7 10s to £8 10s; resin, G grade, £7; whiting, 3s 6d.

Jute Goods: Woolpacks, 1s 7d to 1s 7½d; cornsacks, 4s 5d to 4s 6d; branbags, 3s 7d to 3s 8d.

Fish: Salt salmon, 4½d; tinned salmon, 6s 6d to 8s; salt herrings, 25s; fresh herrings, 4s 4½d to 5s 3d; kippered herrings, 8s 6d to 7s 6d; red herrings, 2-dozen tins, 27s to 30s.

Liquids: Bottled ale, best brands, per dozen quarts, 8s to 9s 6d; ditto pints, 6s to 6s 6d; other brands, per dozen quarts 6s 6d to 9s, pints 4s 9d to 5s; bottled stout, per dozen quarts 7s 6d to 9s 6d, pints 5s 3d to 6s 6d; lager beer, per dozen quarts 8s to 11s, pints 5s to 7s 9d; Hennessy's pale brandy, per case, one-star, 37s, three-star nominally 48s; whisky, case, 6s to 28s; whisky, bulk, 2s 6d to 24s; geneva, 10s; Old Tom, 12s; rum, Lowndes', quarters 2s 8d, colonial 2s; wines, colonial, red, per dozen, 14s 6d to 30s; white, 14s 6d to 25s; bulk, per gallon, 4s 6d to 8s; wines, imported, per dozen, port 9s 6d to 37s; sherry, 10s to 33s; claret, 17s to 25s.

Metals: Galvanised iron, per ton, £17 to £19; fencing wire, No. 8 £7 to £7 5s, No. 10 £7 7s 6d to £7 10s; sheet lead, builders' parcels, £14 5s; tinplates, 12s 9d to 13s; Muntz metal, 5½d to 5¾d; wire nails, average assortment, 13s; BBA shears, 42s.

Oilmen's Stores: Mustard, quarters 4s 7½d, halves 8s, pounds 15s 9d to 16s, 7lb. tins 6½d; pickles, best brands 1s, ordinary 5s 6d to 7s 6d; salad oil, English pints 8s, half-pints 4s 9d; salad oil, French, pints 7s 3d to 9s, half-pints 4s; vinegar, cases, best brands 6s 9d to 7s 6d, ordinary 3s 6d to 5s 6d; starch, best makes, boxes 42s, packages 36s 6d, ordinary, boxes 35s; blue, 6½d; sauces, best makes, pints 21s, half-pints 11s 6d; sauces, ordinary, pints 6s 6d, half-pints 3s 6d; English hams, 1s to 1s 3d; devilled ham, 12s 6d; condensed milk, 6s 3d to 6s 6d; jams, imported 7s 6d to 9s 6d, colonial 3s 4½d to 6s; canned fruits, American 11s 6d, colonial 9s; bottled fruits, 11s.

Oils: Kerosene, 150 test, 1s 2½d to 1s 2¾d; linseed, raw 2s 7d, boiled 2s 9d; castor, bulk 2s 3d to 2s 4d, drums 2s 6d to 2s 9d; China, 2s 8½d; colza, 3s 9d to 4s; turpentine, 2s 3d.

Rice, Spices, &c.: No. 1 polished Japan, 16s 6d to 17s; lower qualities (Rangoon, &c.), 12s; sago and tapioca, £10 10s to £12; pepper, whole, white 4½d, black 3½d; ginger, 8d; ditto, bleached, 9½d; nutmegs, 2s 3d.

Salt: Black Horse, coarse 67s 6d to 70s, fine 82s 6d to 85s; Liverpool, coarse 57s 6d, fine 67s to 80s; rock salt, 40s.

Sugar: The Colonial Sugar-refining Company's IW, 22s; IC, 21s; No. 3, 19s; best Queensland whites, 21s 6d; ordinary, 21s; golden syrup, 2lb. tins, 5s 6d per dozen; treacle, 2lb. tins, 4s 9d per dozen.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £3214. The principal items were:—

Spirits, £855; tobacco and snuff, £348; tobacco for manufacturing purposes only, £65; sugar, unrefined, £107; opium, £48; rice, £20. Specific duties: Bacon and hams, &c., £10; butter, £76; galvanised iron, £47; hay and chaff, £22; pig iron, £25; jams and jellies, £58; methylated spirits, £30; oats, £12; oil kerosene, £91; oils, other, £18; oilmen's stores, pickles and sauces, £11; paints and colours in oil, £23; paper, brown, £10; potatoes, £55; powder, sporting, £12; tinctures over 75 per cent., £10; vinegar, £17. Ad valorem: 10 per cent., £335; 15 per cent., £128. Harbour and light rates, £55; pilotage, Sydney, £32. Excise on cigars and cigarettes, £330; excise on beer, £15. Total, £3214.

EXPORT MARKET.

At Darling Harbour to-day 3141 bales of wool were manifested, 693 arrived coastwise; and 750 bales were received by rail at Newcastle on Friday.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 7.

AUSTRALIAN TALLOW.

The number of casks of Australian tallow offered at yesterday's public auction was 1600 casks, of which 1300 were sold. Prices rule unchanged, medium mutton selling at 21s 6d, and medium beef at 20s 6d.

WHEAT MARKET.

The English wheat market is changing a little for the worse. The Continental markets are dull, while the American market is declining and weak. No. 2 red winter wheat is quoted at 63c. spot, a decline of 6c.

HIDES, SKINS, &c.

Quotations run as follows:—

New South Wales: Hides, heavy ox, 5½d per lb., an advance of ⅛d; ditto light ox, 4½d, being unchanged; ditto cow, 4 7-16d, being unchanged.

Leather: Australian best heavy, 10½d per lb.

RABBITS, POULTRY, &c.

The rabbits arriving ex Nineveh, realised 1s each. Turkey poults, 7s to 8s. Hares were unsaleable owing to the market being glutted with English.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Stock and Share market was active yesterday morning, and a large volume of business was transacted, especially in mining shares. Investment stocks were dealt in to only a moderate extent. The principal sales were: Metropolitan Board of Works 4½ per cents., 12 years, £107 5s; Mount Lyell 6 per cents., £123 10s; Commercial Bank deposit receipts, small lot, 17s 3d; Metropolitan Gas, £7 5s; Broken Hill Water Supply, 9s; Silverton Tramway, 76s; Tarrawingee Flux, 16s 6d; Melbourne Tramways, 13s 9d.

In the wheat market the sellers' ideas are 2s 9d, and buyers' ideas about 2s 8d to 2s 8½d. Millers are not pressing to make purchases, but generally take any lots offering. Bran is in fair demand. Good business was done yesterday in inferior English barley. There was good inquiry for oats. Maize is firm. About 500 bags sold at from 2s 2d to 2s 3d. In potatoes, prime red soil are firm at 27s 6d, to 23s 9d, other descriptions being without improvement. Produce shipments for New South Wales and Queensland are going forward freely. Steamers leaving yesterday had to shut out cargo. The import markets are quiet. In tea, 1000 half-chests Panyong have been placed up to 6½d. In jute goods, branbags sold up to 3s 5d for small lots.

PRODUCE INWARD.

BALLINA, Saturday.

The steamer Tomki crossed out for Sydney at 10.30 a.m. to-day with the following cargo:—4 bags bacon, 85 hides, 2300 sacks sugar, 5 bales sheepskins, 40 cases eggs, 1 case fish, 5 casks tallow, 3 coops poultry, 25 kegs butter, 50 pigs, 3000ft. boxwood, 10,000ft. sawn timber.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Elingamite sailed yesterday for Sydney with 25 cases gin, 20 bundles skins, 8 cases seed, 745 boxes butter, 530 bags flour, 1528 bags bran, 10,500 bags chaff, 400 bags onions, 768 bags potatoes, 20 cases cornflour, 5 cases tea, 1600 bags salt, 55 bales hay.

The Era cleared out from Geelong yesterday for Sydney with 1500 bags chaff, 450 bags flour, 600 bags bran, 210 bags onions, 30 bales hay, 115 boxes butter.

NAMBUCCA HEADS, Saturday.

The steamer Rosedale sailed to-day for Sydney with 790 sacks maize, 78 pigs, 90 bags antimony, and 16 cases eggs.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.—SATURDAY.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

Business in the produce trade as usual on Saturday was quiet, and in the absence of transactions as a guide values remain without quotable change.

FEED-GRAINS MARKET.

The following are the quotations:—

Maize.—Market unsettled, with weaker feeling. River maize quoted at 2s 6d to 2s 8d per bushel.

Oats.—Very firm. Best feed 2s 6d, fair feed 2s 4d to 2s 5d per bushel.

Cape Barley.—2s 3d per bushel.

Peas.—Blue prime, 3s 9d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Very scarce. Good inquiry. Best whole samples, 3s 3d to 3s 3½d; screenings, 2s 7d to 2s 8d per bushel.

BREADSTUFFS.

The associated millers have fixed the price of their best roller flour at £8 10s per ton. For outside brands the market stands at a shade lower figures. Wheat is nominally worth 3s 6d per bushel.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Both bran and pollard were firm. Bran was quoted at 10½d, and pollard at 9d per bushel.

FORAGE MARKET.

The current quotations are:—

Chaff.—Fair supplies. Good demand. Imported chaff: Prime, £4 5s to £4 10s; medium, £4. Local: Prime, £4 10s to £4 15s; medium, £4 5s; inferior, £3 15s to £4 per ton.

Hay.—Good demand for prime. Local oaten in bundles: Fairly prime, £6 10s; medium, £6; inferior, £4 10s per ton.

Straw.—Quiet demand. Local: Derrick-pressed, £2 6s 8d; inferior, £2; bundled, £2 15s to £3. Tasmania: Derrick-pressed, £2 5s per ton.

Lucerne.—Active demand; moderate supply. Hunter River: Prime green, £6 15s; medium, £6 10s per ton. Railway: Prime, £6 15s; medium, £6 to £6 10s; and inferior, £5 5s per ton.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—Heavy supply. Moderate demand. The current quotations are:—Circulars: Fresh shipment. Prime, £2 10s; medium, £2 5s per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Onions.—Dull. Prime, £3 10s to £3 15s per ton.

Honey.—Garden honey, 3d; bush honey, 2d to 2½d per lb.

Beeswax.—Dark, 9d; good bright, 10d to 10½d; choice, 1s per lb.

Lard.—Scarce. Finely rendered, in bladders, 4d; bulk, 3½d per lb.

Turnips.—Dull. £2 to £3 5s per ton.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

To-day's closing quotations were:—

Butter.—Firm. Good demand. Scarce supply. Creamery, 15½d; factory, 15d; dairy, 12d to 13d; Berrima creamery 15½d, factory 15d; South Coast and West Camden creamery 15½d, factory 15d per lb.

Eggs.—Heavy supply. Good demand. 6½d to 7d per dozen.

Bacon and Hams.—Fair supply. Dull demand. Hand-cured, 4½d to 5d; machine, 4d to 4½d; farmers' lots, 2½d to 3½d; farmers' hams in cloth, 7d to 8d per lb.

Cheese.—Scarce supply. Good demand. 5d; choice brands, 5½d per lb.

Poultry.—Good supply. Moderate demand. Fowls 2s to 2s 6d, prime 3s; young roosters 2s 9d; ducks, good 2s 6d to 3s; geese, 3s to 4s 6d; turkeys, cocks 5s to 8s, hens 3s 6d to 4s 6d per pair.

WOOD SALES.

At the Darling Harbour wood sales to-day business was rather quiet. There was a good supply offered. Closing quotations were: Footwood, inferior, 5s to 6s 9d; good, 7s 6d to 9s; bundled, 6s to 8s 6d; bakers' large, 5s; split, 6s 6d to 7s; billet, 4s to 7s; bark, 5s 6d per ton.

FRUIT MARKETS.

Business in the fruit trade at the Bathurst-street Exchange, as usual on Saturday, was quiet, and values remain without quotable change.

HAIR, HORNS, AND BONES.

The Sydney Wool-selling Brokers' Association (The Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, John Bridge and Co., Campbell, Nimmo, and Co., Dalgety and Company, Limited, the Pastoral Finance Association, Limited, Goldsbrough, Mort, and Company, Limited, Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Hill, Clark, and Co., M'Burney, Wallis, and Co., New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., J. C. Young and Co.) report:—These goods were in full supply last Saturday, buyers attending in their usual number, and competition being fairly brisk. The general tendency of prices was downwards, for though shanks advanced 5s per ton, common bones, horns, and knuckles were each subjected to a decline in values. Quotations: Horsehair, 10d to 15d; cowhair 4d to 10d, stump 4½d to 6d per lb.; common bones £1 12s 6d to £2 11s, shanks £3 5s to £4 5s per ton, round shanks to £5 17s 6d; horns, large £1 1s to £1 17s, medium 10s to 18s 6d, tips and small 2s 6d to 3s 9d per 100; hoofs, £1 12s 6d to £3 10s; knuckles, £1 12s 6d to £2 10s per ton; beeswax, to 13d per lb.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

LAND AND HOUSES.

C. F. W. LLOYD.—At the Rooms, at 11, Right, Title, and Interest to Land.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

H. BAINS.—At corner of Underwood and Elizabeth streets, Paddington, at 11, Furniture, &c.; at Parramatta-road, Petersham, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.

J. P. LISTER.—At his Rooms, at 11, Furniture, Clothing, Boots, &c.; at 2, Field and Opera Glasses, Cutlery, Watches, Lockets, Rings, &c.

H. W. BROOK and CO.—At 395 Pitt-street, at 12, Furniture, Pianoforte, &c.

D. A. MUNRO.—At 75 Engine-street, at 2.30, Clothing, Furniture, &c.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 53 Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills, at 9.30, Furniture, &c.; at 71 Regent-street, Sydney, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.

C. R. TOULSON.—At 189 Rose-street, Darlington, at 11, Furniture, &c.

J. BROWN and CO.—At 35 Glebe-road, Glebe, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.

FAT STOCK SALE.

The Homebush Fat Stock Sale has been arranged in the following order:—

SHEEP.—Total, 17,895.

J. LEEDS and CO., 200.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, 11,198.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, 1100.
J. C. YOUNG and CO., 1800.
W. H. GRAVES and SON, 406.
HILL, CLARK, and CO., 1101.
WILKINSON and LAVENDER, 1930.

CATTLE.—Total, 2274.

HILL, CLARK, and CO., 893.
J. C. YOUNG and CO., 131.
MAIDEN BROTHERS, 200.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, 693.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, 30.
F. G. WEAVER, 105.
J. LEEDS and CO., 312.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

G. KISS.—At his Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.
W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horses, &c.

PRODUCE SALES.

SYDNEY WOOL-SELLING BROKERS' ASSOCIATION.—Dalgety and Co., at their Stores, at 10, Hides.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Maize, &c.

COUNTRY-KILLED MEAT.

H. M'NAMARA.—At Hay-street, at 12, Beef, &c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown Station, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, &c.
G. KISS.—At his Bazaar, at 12, Right to Collect at Entrance to St. Leger Reserve, A.J.C. Spring Meeting.

ROBERT LITTLE AND CO., Grain and Produce Auctioneers. Sales daily at Redfern. Highest prices, prompt returns.—[ADVT.]

ROBERT ROBINSON AND CO., 99 Sussex-st., Sydney, Grain, Produce Auctioneers, gen. Commis. Agents.—[ADVT.]

"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE."—If the blood is laden with impurities it spreads disease as it circulates through the organs of the human body—Lungs, Heart, Stomach, Kidneys, Brain. Clarke's World-famed Blood Mixture is warranted to cleanse the blood from all impurities from whatever cause arising. For Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds its effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere in 2s 9d. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes. [ADVT.]

A TRUISM.

The independent testimony of scientific experts and the most eminent skin specialists award PEARS' SOAP the first position among toilet soaps.—[ADVT.]

MEETINGS.

ENFIELD FREETRADE LEAGUE.

On Friday night the annual meeting of the Enfield branch of the Freetrade, Land, and Reform League was held in the Foresters' Hall, Enfield. Alderman G. Christie, president, occupied the chair, and there was a good attendance. The chairman gave a brief statement of the operations of the branch during the year, pointing out that since September last it had held public meetings, and had induced the Premier and Mr. Wise to deliver addresses locally. There was, however, dissatisfaction with the manner in which the central council was conducting matters, and so serious was this dissatisfaction that they were called upon to consider whether they should continue to be associated with the council or not. It had been determined to establish a party to represent the present freetraders in Parliament, and it had been resolved that the electoral committee of the last election be formed into a Freetrade and Liberal Association, and empowered to establish branches.

Mr. Fraser moved,—"That this league ceases to be a branch of the Freetrade, Land, and Reform League, and affiliates with the Freetrade and Liberal Association." He supported the contention that the league had not performed the functions which were expected of it.

Mr. Bloomfield seconded the motion, and in a long discussion which ensued Aldermen J. Stone (Canterbury), Slatyer (Strathfield), Mr. Sutherland, and others took part. The motion was carried with but one dissentient. The election of officers resulted as follows:—President, Alderman J. C. Stone; vice-presidents, Messrs. Bloomfield and Fraser; treasurer, Mr. Dennis. Seven new members were elected.

HOSPITAL SATURDAY FUND.

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Hospital Saturday Fund was held at the Town Hall on Friday, 6th instant. Mr. W. Briggs presided. For various services rendered to the Hospital Saturday Fund the following ladies and gentlemen were elected as delegates, constituting them members of the association for the current year:—Miss Hooper, Miss Gowing, Mrs. Peacock, Mrs. M. Baar, Mrs. Groenlund, Mrs. Tonge, Miss Barry, Mrs. A. J. Anderson, Mr. E. J. Abel, Major James, Mr. T. E. Cresswell, Mrs. T. E. Cresswell, Mr. Thomas Caddy, Mrs Fircliff, Mrs. Fisher, Miss Gillespie, Miss Clark, Miss Stewart, Miss Hall, Miss Brown, Mr. Redhead. Mr. W. Briggs introduced the following bylaw, which was adopted:—"No member shall be eligible for election to an honorary office, or to the office of a director of the association, unless he or she shall have left notice in writing at the office of the association of his or her intention to become a candidate for such office seven days at least before the day of election, except in the case of those who are at the time in office."

PADDINGTON BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

A meeting of ladies was held at the Paddington Town Hall on Saturday night for the purpose of forming a local Benevolent Society. Mrs. Henry Zions occupied the chair, and there was a numerous gathering of ladies. It was explained to the meeting that those present comprised the committee of the Marguerite ball, and, as it was an annual affair, and the proceeds were substantial, the last ball yielding a profit of about £160, the ladies thought it would be an advisable course to form themselves into a permanent body. The Mayor (Alderman G. Parker Jones), and Messrs. J. C. Neild and David Storey, Ms.L.A., who were present, addressed the meeting, and the society was then formed. The following office-bearers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, the Mayoress of Paddington (Mrs. G. Parker Jones); vice-presidents, Mesdames J. C. Neild, Henry Zions, and R. J. Beauman; hon. secretaries, Misses Ada George and A. Rogers; hon. treasurers, Mesdames John White and H. H. Reynolds; and a committee of 12 ladies. It was decided that Mr. J. C. Neild should introduce a deputation to the Government asking for the usual £ for £ subsidy, as soon as definite arrangements were made. The meeting closed with a unanimous vote of thanks to Mrs. Zions for presiding.

ST. PAUL'S YOUNG MEN'S UNION.

The weekly meeting of St. Paul's Young Men's Union was held on Friday night. There was a fair attendance of members present, and Mr. W. Alexander occupied the chair. It was decided to form a branch of the St. John Ambulance Association in connection with the union, and Mr. W. H. Wilson was elected hon. secretary. The business of the evening being "Music and Elocution," a programme was contributed to by Messrs. J. Glover, A. Croal, C. Mudge, and D. S. Mair.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

The fourth annual meeting of the Redfern branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held in the Redfern Town Hall on Friday evening, and was presided over by Mr. M'Gowen, M.L.A.

Mrs. Smail, as secretary, read the annual report, which showed that the number of members on the roll was 33. The branch was engaged in nine departments of work, each under the control of a superintendent. The Dorcas department had done specially good work, under the superintendence of Mrs. Nicholl, among poor women who are in necessitous circumstances. The other branches—viz., Sabbath observance, social purity, literature, scientific instruction, unfermented wine, work among tramway men and cabmen, grocers' licenses, and floral mission—were also reported to be in a flourishing condition. Regular meetings of the union had been held during the year on the first Thursday in each month in the local Town Hall, and had been largely attended. There had been also two public meetings, at which the cause of temperance had been warmly advocated.

The report having been adopted, addresses were delivered by Mr. Fegan, M.L.A., Mrs. Courtenay Smith, who spoke on the subject of "Grocers' Licenses," and the Rev. Thomas Davies, who delivered an earnest address on "The New Woman." Mrs. Ward also delivered a short address.

The Rev. A. Miller proposed and the Rev. T. J. Curtis seconded a vote of thanks to the retiring officers, and also to those who had assisted in the evening's entertainment. The motion, having been supported by the Rev. F. Binns, was carried.

The following are the officers elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mrs. Allen; treasurer, Mrs. Medcalf; secretary, Mrs. J. M. Smail.

PRESBYTERIAN FEDERAL ASSEMBLY.

THIRD DAY.

The eighth session of the Federal Assembly of the Presbyterian Churches of Australia and Tasmania was continued at St. Stephen's Church on Saturday, the Rev. Dr. Cosh, the retiring moderator, presiding.

The assembly resolved itself into committee to consider the new rules which had been drafted for the scheme of union, and approved of the following rules:—

Each provincial assembly or synod shall meanwhile remain in possession of its own property and, save in the case of money devoted to foreign missions, of its own funds; and any amalgamation of property and funds belonging to the different synods, or any transfer of the same to the General Assembly, shall be competent only with the consent of the synods directly concerned in such amalgamation or transfer.

Each provincial assembly or synod shall meanwhile have control of such home mission work as the respective assemblies are carrying on, and shall report annually through its committee to the General Assembly; but the assembly shall be free to take steps in conjunction with the local provincial assembly or synod to originate new mission schemes.

Each provincial assembly or synod shall have power to admit ministers from other Churches; but the power shall be exercised in accordance with rules framed and adopted for the purpose by the General Assembly.

With the introduction of rule 5,—"The foreign mission work of the Church shall be managed by a board, on which the various provincial assemblies or synods shall be represented in the same proportion, as nearly as possible, as in the General Assembly; and there shall be an executive, the place of meeting of which shall be fixed from time to time by the General Assembly"—considerable discussion took place, and ultimately it was agreed that the questions at issue should be settled by a special sub-committee, which was appointed to meet this morning. The sederunt will be resumed to-day.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

In connection with the Field Artillery School of Instruction, a "Town" Course, No. 1, class "B," for officers of the Brigade Division Field Artillery, will be commenced to-day, concluding on the 25th instant.

The following parades were held on Saturday:—Half-day parade, No. 4 company, 2nd Garrison Division, Artillery, and the Army Service Corps; and a whole-day parade of No. 3 (Submarine Miners) Company. "L" (Cadet) Company, headquarters, paraded in the afternoon at Victoria Barracks, and the Medical Staff Corps went through the third day of their annual field training.

"They come as a boon and a blessing to men."
The PICKWICK, the OWL, and the WAVERLEY PEN.—[ADVT.]

THIS IS A SPECIMEN of the very many Letters we received—"The Tea you sent me is very good and you can send me two more Half-chests of the same Tea per first train." Turner's "TOWER" Brand Teas "Towers above all others." 2s 6d, 2s 3d, 2s, 1s 9d, 1s 6d, 1s 3d, 1s per lb.; 40lb., 20lb., 20lb., and 12lb. packages.
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Religious Announcements.

FEDERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES OF AUSTRALIA AND TASMANIA.

Business THIS DAY, Monday, 9th September.
2 p.m.: Report on Union Resumed; Report on Hymn Book; Report on Foreign Missions.
7 p.m.: Deputation from N.S.W. Fellowship Union; Report on Organisation of the Young. Conference—subject: How to Reach the Young and Retain them in the Church.

JAMES S. LAING, Clerk of Federal Assembly.

The Federal Assembly's Committee on Union will MEET in St. Stephen's Church THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Business Cards.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Marshall Bros., Dentists 141 Elizabeth-st., near Market-st. Gas administered.

NEW BLACK GOODS, in the Mourning Department. —Caracul Crêpons, Bark Crêpons, Stripe Crêpons, Summer Serges, Silk Grenadines, Alpacas.
E. WAY and CO., 213 to 219 Pitt-street.

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The Treasury, New South Wales, 2nd September, 1895.

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1116. G. H. REID.

The Treasury of New South Wales, 2nd September, 1895.

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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of the late THOMAS (BEN) KELEHER are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to leave his late residence, No. 170 Campbell-street, Surry Hills, at quarter-past 1 o'clock, to the R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 23 Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of ELIZABETH KELEHER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved HUSBAND, the late Thomas (Ben) Keleher, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to leave his late residence, No. 170 Campbell-street, Surry Hills, at quarter-past 1 o'clock, to the R. Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood. T. DIXON.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ANDREW KELEHER, Sen., are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SON, Thomas Keleher, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to leave his late residence, No. 170 Campbell-street, Surry Hills, at quarter-past 1 o'clock, to the R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood. T. DIXON, Undtker., 23 Oxford-st.

THE FRIENDS of MICHAEL and ANDREW KELEHER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER, Thomas Keleher, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to leave his late residence, No. 170 Campbell-street, Surry Hills, at quarter-past 1 o'clock, to the R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood. T. DIXON, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of THOMAS and MARY COX are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved BROTHER, Thomas Keleher, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to leave his late residence, No. 170 Campbell-street, Surry Hills, at quarter-past 1 o'clock, to the R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood. T. DIXON, 23 Oxford-st.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOHN H., ROBERT, EDWARD, JOSEPH, THOMAS, and AUGUSTUS FEWINGS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Margaret Fewings, which will leave their residence, No. 26 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS BRENT are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER-IN-LAW, Margaret Fewings, which will move from No. 26 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Rookwood Cemetery.
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THE FUNERAL of JOHANN BRUNING, late Steward of the German Club, Phillip-street, will move from the Sydney Hospital THIS MONDAY, at 1.30 p.m., for the Necropolis.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON,
Undertakers,
88 Hunter-street, and
51 Darlinghurst-road.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. PATRICK STACK are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from 37 Ultimo-street, Ultimo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, to Necropolis. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Embalmers, 183 George-street W.; 120 Oxford-street; 169 Riley-street. Tel., 588.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. FREDERICK S. CAVANOUGH are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Emily Anne; to move from her late residence, Short-street, Carlton, THIS MONDAY, at 2 p.m., to Carlton Station, thence to Sutherland Cemetery.
CHAS. KINSELA, Undertaker,
Rockdale, opp. Station; and
Tel., 993. George-street, opp. Christ Church, city.

THE FRIENDS of PERCY, HILTON, CURTIS, OWEN, COLIN, KENNETH, NELLIE, STELLA JESSIE, and NINA CAVANOUGH are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-beloved MOTHER, Emily Anne; to move from her late residence, Short-street, Carlton, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Sutherland Cemetery.
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THE FRIENDS of WALTER, FREDERICK, ERNEST, and FANNY MULLENGER and ELLEN PYE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Emily Anne Cavanough; to move from her late residence, Short-street, Carlton, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Sutherland Cemetery.
CHAS. KINSELA,
Tel., 993. Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM BLAIR are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly-beloved WIFE; to move from his residence, 241 New South Head-road, THIS MONDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for South Head Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON,
Undertakers,
88 Hunter-street, and 51 Darlinghurst-road.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. HENRY DOYLE are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his residence, 58 Marlborough-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, to Waverley Cemetery. HENRY HART and SONS, Undertakers and Embalmers, Sydney; and at Ashfield and Burwood, at railway stations.

THE OFFICERS and BRETHREN of the Rose of Denmark Lodge, M.U.I.O.O.F., are requested to attend the Funeral of their late respected Brother, HENRY DOYLE; to move from his late residence, Marlborough-street, Surry Hills, THIS DAY, Monday, at 2.30, for the Waverley Cemetery. W. L. JOHNSTON, N.G.; WM. ROGERS, Secretary.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. DUNCAN M'INTYRE, Grocer, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Jane; to move from his residence, 118 Windsor-street, Paddington, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery.
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THE FRIENDS of Mrs. ELIZABETH HICKS are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to move from 108 Brougham-street, Darlinghurst, on TUESDAY MORNING, at 8.15, to Balmain Cemetery. HENRY HART and SONS, Undertakers and Embalmers, 186 Devonshire-street; Ashfield, and Burwood. Tel., city, No. 1003.

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A SMART young Girl, COOK and LAUNDRESS. Apply after 9 o'clock, 148 Phillip-st.

AT Davies's Home, Norton-st., Leichhardt.—Two Generals wanted, wages 12s, 10s; also Useful Girls.

AT Davies's Home, Norton-st., Leichhardt.—Nurse, must be handy with needle, for Nowra.

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GIRL, smart, wanted, to assist in housework. Apply 142 Phillip-st., city, at 9 a.m.

GENERAL SERVANT wanted, small priv. family, must be good plain cook, housemaid kept, washing optional, personal refs. indispensable. Apply Mrs. WILKINS, 10 to 12, 17 Wharf-road, Snails Bay.

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KITCHENMAID, over 20, with good references. 11 to 2, Mrs. Dangar, Potts Point.

LADY HELP wanted, young and active, good situation. 72 Castlereagh-st.

LAUNDRESS, up line, and Cook and Laundress, sub., 14s, 15s; 3 Cooks and Laundresses, stns., 15s, 16s, 17s 6d; Laundress and assist wait at table, country hotel; Waitress, country hotel, 12s. Hittmann's, 83 Imp. Arcade.

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MARRIED Couple, for station, Bathurst; meet employer 2.30 p.m., General Hotel, 168 Castlereagh-st.

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SMART GIRL, used to restaurant work. Apply early 119 Lower George-st.

SUPERIOR GIRL, 15, domesticated, fond children, Burwood or Strathfield pref. F. M. B., P.O., Concord.

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WANTED, smart competent young GENERAL, 2 in family. Apply early, 35 Goodhope-st., Paddington.

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WANTED, respectable young Woman as General SERVANT. Sunderland Hotel, Harris-st., Ultimo.

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